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PROBE CHARGES OF FILM GRAFT

PLANS TO SHOW FIGHT PICTURES EXPOSED TODAY

**Movie Producer Testifies—
Committee Tries To Show
That Films Were Not
Shown Until It Has Been
"Fixed In Washington."**

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Mar. 15.—Turning aside for the moment from the sensational testimony of Roxie Sinsion and Gaston B. Means, the Senate Committee today began delving into the allegations that exhibitions of the Carpenter-Dempsey fight films had been carried through arrangements with Senator Wheeler's late friend and associate, General Daugherty.

F. C. Quinby, who described himself as a New York motion picture producer and maker of the fight film testified that the arrangement as he understood it, was that the rights for showing the fight films, the interstate transportation of which is prohibited by law, were to be let out to exhibitors in various states, and the expenses of local prosecution and attorneys fees were borne out of a fund by the owners.

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Mar. 15.—Evident shift was made today in the Daugherty investigation, neither Gaston B. Means nor Miss Roxie Sinsion being recalled.

Frank A. Vanderlip, the New York financier, who appeared before the Senate hearing, was seated near the committee table as the hearing opened.

F. C. Quinby, of New York, a moving picture man who made the film of the Carpenter-Dempsey fight was today's witness.

Quinby told of his acquaintance with William Orr and Jack Muma, identified yesterday by Gaston B. Means as part owners of the Carpenter-Dempsey fight film.

He did not know the man who said he had taken the film to New York, motion picture producer, head of the Quinby Film Company.

"You took the pictures of the Dempsey-Carpenter fight," asked Senator Wheeler.

"Are you acquainted with Jack Kearns, the manager of Dempsey?" Senator Wheeler proceeded.

"Yes."

"With Tex Rickard?"

Quinby said he made a contract in 1921 with Rickard to produce and sell films of the fight.

An agreement was made between him and Rickard, the witness said, for display of the films in other States.

Senator Wheeler asked if Quinby knew Attorney General Daugherty. Quinby said he did not.

Rickard told him he named the Marx-Orr and they had a plan to display the films.

Quinby said he believed there was a written agreement for the shipping of the films outside of New Jersey and that he might have a copy in his office in New York.

Quinby said checks were paid out under agreement for use of films.

Rickard told him, the witness said, that there was a plan whereby the pictures could be shown legally.

"I believe Mr. Orr used to refer to Tex Rickard as a friend of his," said Quinby.

Quinby told of discussions with a local attorney named Union whom he understood to be a friend of Attorney General Daugherty.

"These men were understood to have a plan whereby these pictures could be shown legally," said Quinby.

"The pictures were to be sold to one man in each State and he was to be the distributor."

Quinby was to have nothing to do with transportation or distribution of the films, but only to make, sell and deliver them in New Jersey.

"Who did you understand Tex Rickard was?" asked Senator Wheeler.

"A friend of Attorney General Daugherty."

"Didn't you understand that Orr was representing Smith's interests?"

"I don't recall whether he ever mentioned that or not."

"Well, how did Smith's name come in?"

"Just that Orr was a friend of Senator Jones, Republican, Washington, asked for more details."

"It was just that these men had a plan whereby the fight pictures would be shown legally," Quinby said.

"You said that they could be shown in the department of justice here in Washington?" asked Senator Wheeler.

"I was told to go ahead with the picture and I wouldn't be bothered," Quinby said.

"Who told you that?" asked Senator Jones.

"Three gentlemen."

"Union, an attorney for Orr, Muma and Martin, was to suggest names of lawyers in each State, Quinby said, to act as agents for the distribution."

Quinby also said he showed the pictures first to disabled soldiers in a State Island hospital "in my State" and that he and Tex Rickard were fined and also reprimanded by the district attorney.

Senator Wheeler, bringing out the details of the exhibition plan, pointed out that the pictures had to be shown to "veterans organization" in each State.

"Then, after that exhibition," the Senator said, "the buyer in that State would be fined before some justice and released. That wasn't the arrangement, wasn't it?"

"Quinby would not agree to that. The action would be 'up to the buyer' of each state right," he asserted.

Pressed by Senator Wheeler, Quinby said he understood a similar plan of receiving the pictures and then showing the pictures was followed in other States.

TOWN TOPICS

The first of a series of "open forum" meetings of the membership of the Chamber of Commerce will be held next Tuesday night in the auditorium of the Masonic Temple when Col. LeRoy Hodges, of the State Chamber of Commerce, will make a brief address before the consideration of local problems is undertaken. The meeting promises to be an interesting one. The whole purpose of the open forum is to offer the membership of the Association an opportunity to exchange ideas on constructive community measures and for the offering of new ideas.

Jefferson Street House Raided 2 Arrests Made

A raid made last night on the basement of a house on Jefferson street, where liquor was found, resulted early this morning in the arrest of William M. Morris at his pressing club quelling on the charge of violating the Alap. His arrest, according to the police, was the result of the interrogations of Mrs. Etta Pollard, formerly of Greenville, who was detained by the police after four gallons of liquor had been found in quarters alleged to be maintained by her.

Morris soon after his arrest at seven o'clock this morning gave bond in the sum of \$500 which was put up by J. L. Capps. Mrs. Pollard had been unable to furnish bond until noon today and is still detained in the city jail where she was removed following the raid.

Officers participating in the raid which was made at midnight, were Police Sergeant J. L. Edwards, Police Detectives J. J. Campbell, J. C. Lewis, Reinhold G. A. Collier and W. S. Edwards. According to Police Sergeant Edwards, the police received information early last night that a sack containing a suspicious object had been seen to be taken into the basement of a house on Morris street which is situated near the corner of Patton street and Jefferson street. Search warrants were secured and the place was visited, a can containing about four gallons being found. The police detected that Mrs. Pollard has been a bookkeeper for Morris and that she is interested in the pressing club. She leased the basement of the house, the police further assert, and sub-let rooms in it.

Morris was sought soon after the police had talked to Mrs. Pollard, but he was not found until this morning. Police Sergeant Henry Haraway and Patrolman W. C. Talley arrested him at the pressing club. They claim also to have found a small quantity of liquor in Morris' room which is in the same building as the pressing club. The police consulted the assistant commonwealth's attorney on this question and later stated that he would be proceeded against in his connection.

Morris was called this afternoon with reference to the charge. He asserted that he knew nothing of the liquor found in the house which was raided and denied that it was his. He stated that this would be his defense. Regarding the small quantity of liquor found in his room, the amount being understood to be a pint, he claimed exemption from proceeding on the ground that the room is his bona-fide home and that he is entitled to have that amount there, since it constituted his home.

Flight Around The World To Begin Monday

(By The Associated Press.)
MONTA MONICA, March 15.—Clever field was abuzz with airplanes today as final preparations were made for the air carnival tomorrow in connection with the start of the army's around the world flight, which will start Monday.

A third of the approximately 100 planes expected to participate in the carnival with the others to arrive during the day and early tomorrow. In addition to an exhibition flight by the world cruiser planes, other events on the carnival program include refueling in mid-air, sky-writing and aerial-smoke screen exhibitions.

Delivery of the fourth world cruiser plane was expected today but final adjustments will prevent the ship from starting Monday, according to Major Frederick L. Martin, commanding the world flight.

Major Martin, Lieutenant Leigh Wade and Lieut. Lowell H. Smith will pilot the three cruisers scheduled to start Monday according to the plan, with Lieut. Erik Nelson taking off in the fourth cruiser as soon as it is ready to go. His ship will join others at Seattle, where landing gear will be replaced by pontoons and the four cruisers made ready for the perilous passage to Asia via the Aleutian Islands.

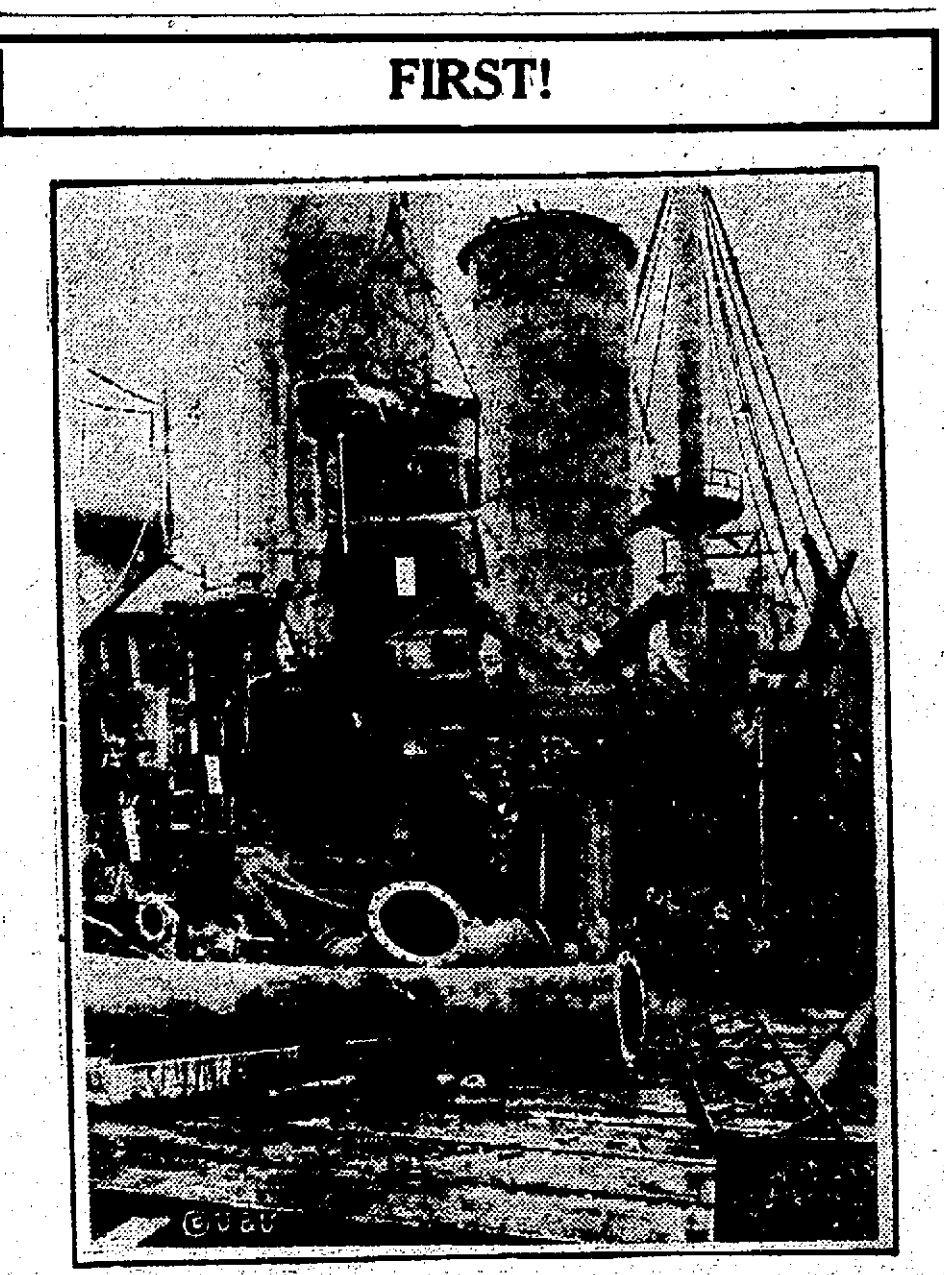
DEATH OF E. H. WILLIAMS

E. H. Williams, a popular north-side citizen died at Edmunds hospital at one o'clock today after a long illness. Mr. Williams was admitted to the hospital last Sunday in a serious condition from a complication of diseases and he had been steadily losing ground since his admission.

WEATHER FORECAST.

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, March 15.—Virginia and North Carolina: Fair tonight and Sunday; continued cold.

SEEK CHARTER ALREADY



First official view showing scrapping of the flower of the Japanese Navy in compliance with terms of the Washington agreement. It shows the battleship Katori which took Prince Regent Hirohito to Europe on his trip.

JAP COMPANY DENIES PAYING MEANS MONEY

(By The Associated Press.)
TOKYO, March 15.—Denial that any payments of money ever had been given to Gaston B. Means in an effort to halt prosecution of the Standard Aircraft company case, as Means charged yesterday before the Daugherty investigating committee was made today by the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha through its principal office here.

Records bearing on the Standard Aircraft matter were destroyed in the earthquake disaster last September, asserted Yunosuke Yatsukawa, managing director of the Mitsui company. He declared, however, that Mitsui officials in Japan knew nothing concerning the alleged payment of \$100,000 to Means and believe it is not possible that such a payment ever was made.

The Mitsui Bussan Kaisha owned half of the Standard Aircraft shares. Yatsukawa added, but the aircraft was destroyed in the earthquake and its records were shipped to Tokyo where they were lost in the fire and quake.

Ex-Service Men Will Be Buried Sunday Evening

Funeral services for W. L. Petty will be conducted on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the home 531 Lee Street by Rev. Ernest E. H. pastor of Grace church assisted by Rev. Oscar A. Gayman. Interment will be made in Mountain View cemetery where rites will be observed by the Chickasaw Tribe of Red Men of which the deceased was a member.

The Danville Post, American Legion will also conduct military offices at the grave side for Mr. Petty was an ex-serviceman and his death was due in large measure to a wound received in action and to a malady contracted through exposure. The Danville Post has been interested in the man for some time and it is understood that a statement in connection with the alleged failure of the Veterans Bureau to take care of this veteran is being prepared this afternoon by the American Legion based on the actual facts in the possession of the Legion official by his widow, Mrs. Mattie Lee Petty also two children, W. L. Petty, Jr., and George Petty.

MARTINSVILLE ROAD OPENED TO PUBLIC AT 11 A. M. TODAY

The Martinsville road, or that section of it extending from Sandy River bridge for slightly more than six miles was opened in its full extent to the public at eleven o'clock this morning.

This however, does not mean that persons traveling by way of Schoolfield can reach it by Highway 111 for the connecting link is still under process and it will be three days before all of the concrete has been poured. When the concrete has been poured, the road will remain closed for twenty-one days in order that the surface may harden sufficiently to bear traffic.

News of the opening of this road probably will result in many Danville car owners making an inspection trip tomorrow, provided the weather is fine. The desire to do this should bear the following journey across the concrete bridge and along the concrete river road, for the Sandy River bridge is being rebuilt and it will be impossible to cross the stream before late in May. The best course is to go by way of Schoolfield, cross the Schoolfield bridge and on reaching the far side, make the detour immediately to the right which descends sharply to the river bank. This detour is rough for a short distance but it is not far to the concrete road where it makes the down hill bend. Once on the concrete road at this point it is possible to travel the full distance to Martinsville.

APRIL 2 DATE SET TO ELECT BANK OFFICERS

Agricultural Credit Corporation Is Name of New Establishment—The Temporary Committee Lays Groundwork.

No time will be lost in perfecting the permanent organization of the Agricultural Credit Corporation of Virginia in this city as result of yesterday's meeting at which it was definitely launched under highly auspicious circumstances.

The temporary organization has already been called to meet at ten o'clock on April 2nd in the Chamber of Commerce at which time permanent directors and a full roster of officers will be elected. The task of securing a charter has been delegated to Oliver J. Sands and he told members of the temporary organization that he would act without further delay, in fact, it is hoped that the charter will be secured during the course of next week.

Such questions as a location for the bank and its permanent president remain to be determined at a later day. The institution will not, however, require a ground floor location and more than probable a suite of offices will be obtained in the Masonic Temple or elsewhere where the business of the local organization can be carried on. In connection with the presidency two names are heard, W. R. Fitzgerald who is already temporary president and as Virginia grower, the man who has the confidence of the farming element, and W. E. Gardner, who espoused the cooperative marketing cause at its inception and who has been active in its local councils for some months.

The meeting of the credit organization was important in that the groundwork of the credit structure was definitely laid. The name of the bank was determined upon as the Agricultural Credit Corporation of Virginia, thus eliminating the use of the word "bank" which in reality is a misnomer. The minimum capital was determined at \$100,000 with each share given a par value of \$100. Associated with Mr. Sands in the incorporation of the credit organization were Mr. Fitzgerald, Lee Paul, Tucker Watkins, George L. M. Mitchell, W. E. Gardner and John P. Swanson, who will act with Mr. Sands in applying for the charter from the state corporation commission.

The important question of soliciting stock subscriptions in the contiguous tobacco area has been left very largely to Tucker Watkins at South Boston. He was formally appointed chairman of a committee which he will see himself to carry out this important work. He will doubtless avail himself of some of the personnel of the "pool" association during the coming months and the machinery of that organization will be useful to him in this connection.

One of the most important resolutions adopted at yesterday's meeting was that providing that permanent directors should be distributed throughout the territory in which the stock is being given a full measure of stability to it. It was further agreed that the districts to be canvassed be the same as those adopted by the Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Marketing Association, and that the stockholders be divided into districts from each district. Another motion prevailing was that the by-laws should provide that the capital and loaning facilities be allocated to each district in proportion to the amount of capital owned in such district but that no district should be limited to its allocation or quota. This coincides with a recommendation made by Mr. Sands during his presentation of the credit problem at yesterday's meeting.

The meeting of the temporary directors yesterday developed an inquiry as to whether North Carolina farmers would have the same rights to credit facilities as Virginia growers. This was answered decisively and the directors went on record to the effect that the Carolina farmers have equal opportunity with the Virginia farmers in securing loans. Mr. Sands stated that he intended to hold a meeting to be held at Bedfordville, adding that he would urge the Carolina growers to "get behind" the movement in this city since it would rebound greatly to their convenience.

The form of the stock pledge was adopted yesterday. This is usual of type and provides that the stock subscriber will pay in cash or ten percent cash on the call of the treasurer, as soon as organization is perfected. The stock subscription form reflects the cooperative idea and each subscription is promised upon the full amount being raised. The balance of the payments by the subscriber would be one-third in six months, one-third in twelve months and the balance in twenty-four months, with no interest on the balance.

Patrick's Schools Close For Session; Money Ran Out

(Special to The Bee.)
STUART, Va., Mar. 15.—The Patrick county schools came to a close for the season today owing to the fact that the appropriations available for their maintenance has come to an end with the closing of the school year. The school board met on Tuesday and the whole question of county schools was discussed. When it was found that the funds were exhausted it was determined to close the schools today. Thus, instead of running seven months as had been ardently hoped by the people of Patrick it is necessary to close them after five and a half month's time.

Cotton Growing To Be Discussed At Tuesday Meet

Definite acceptances have been received from J. A. Evans, assistant chief of the extension division of the Department of Agriculture and T. R. Hutcherson, chief agronomist of the extension division of the state agricultural department, who will appear here next Tuesday morning under the auspices of the Danville Chamber of Commerce to discuss cotton growing.

Business men of Danville will join with farmers interested in the possible development of cotton as a secondary crop to tobacco and will hear the experts discuss the possibilities of cotton growing. Mr. Evans will bring with him a number of slides which will make the meeting more interesting.

The Chamber of Commerce is bringing this information within reach of the farmers not with any intent of urging them to substitute tobacco with cotton but to offer them the chance of hearing the possibilities of cotton growing discussed authoritatively in view of the fact that growing interest in this crop is being shown in this section.

Sec. Hoover Will Head Commission

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, March 15.—Secretary Hoover will head the American commission selected by President Coolidge under an agreement with the Canadian government to co-operate in the planning of the proposed St. Lawrence-Great Lakes deeper waterway project with the joint engineering board. A similar "national" commission is to be appointed to advise the Canadian government and at the same time the joint board is to be enlarged by the addition of two more American and two more Canadian engineers.

Keys May Lose An Eye From Gunshot Wound

(Special to The Bee.)
MARTINSVILLE, Va., Mar. 15.—J. W. Keys, who was shot and wounded last Sunday in Franklin county, is charged, by George Dyer who is in Rocky Mount, Va., is making fair recovery though it is now feared that he will lose his right eye. The gunshot wound from which he is suffering glanced the side of his face mediating part of his head. He will recover, it is believed. Doctors are to consult tomorrow over the wisdom of removing the damaged eye.

The wounded man's version of the shooting is notably different from that credited to Dyer. Dyer on being arrested declared that Keys headed a "mob" of men who called at his home, attacked him and his wife after accusing him (Dyer) of reporting him to federal officers. Dyer further claimed that he shot in his own defense.

Keys' story is that early on the morning of the shooting he passed Dyer's home and spoke to him in passing. Between 11 and 12 o'clock the same day Keys, his sister and his brother-in-law, were repassing the Dyer home. Dyer himself being near the road as they passed. Keys states that he heard Dyer remark "I am going to kill him and his head," as he did so received most of the content of a single barreled shot gun in the face. Keys' brother-in-law and his sister were about 30 feet behind Keys and according to Dyer from reloading his gun.

Keys states that he can assign no reason for the shooting, he only incident he can recall is one within the last month when Dyer is said to have struck down a man named Whitmore with a rock. Keys was present at the time and intervened on the part of Whitmore.

County Court to Meet On Monday

(Special to The Bee.)
CHATTAHOOCY, Va., Mar. 15.—The regular term of the Chatahoochy circuit court will open on Monday morning. Some forty or fifty cases are docketed for trial but there are few cases of much importance. The only capital case is that of the Dyer case, charged with killing another colored man. A majority of the cases listed involve the Mapp act.

The approach of the grand jury term has revived some speculation as to whether the grand jury will be organized during the term. The grand jury Magistrate R. C. Collier suffered a slight pistol bullet wound several weeks ago. It is recalled that Mr. Collier declined to discuss the matter in any detail, the state and the person at whose hand he was injured never became public. Mr. Collier has since fully recovered and there is doubt if the Commonwealth's attorney will place the matter before the grand jury. However, should the grand jury of its own accord take up an enquiry it is probable that the matter would be probed thoroughly.

Another grand jury possibility is enquiry into the burning of school buildings before Christmas. One of the Gretna schools was destroyed by fire which was never fully explained. Only a few days ago a much smaller school at Bachelor's Hall was burned under circumstances which have not been explained. The authorities are understood to entertain some suspicions but these have not reached a stage where action could be taken. The grand jury will have placed before it the burning of a barn at Bachelor's Hall through carelessness, this involving three county roads.

A committee from the Astor school section is expected to be here Monday on a petition to the petition asking for the removal of Nicholas Ferrell, a special officer.

REVIVE PLANS TO REBUILD CHAMBERLAIN

(By The Associated Press.)
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., March 15.—Plans for rebuilding the Chamberlain hotel at Old Point were revived last night at a meeting of business men of this city. Hampton and vicinity.

Architects have been called into consultation and plans for financing the rebuilding of the hotel also are being worked out.

DIES IN SOUTH CAROLINA

News has been received here of the death at Easley, S. C., last Thursday of Rev. Frank Hunt who married Miss Janie Abell, who taught in local schools many years, and who had been a sister of the late Mrs. A. C. Ballou. Rev. Mr. Hunt was pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Easley and leaves three daughters besides his widow. He was related to D. A. Overbey and to E. L. Hunt and Hunt Hargrave both of Chatham.

T. W. Watkins and family left this morning for Richmond on account of the illness of Mrs. Watkins' mother, Mrs. M. J. Clifton.

BRANCH CREDIT BANK ORGANIZED IN HALIFAX

(Special to The Bee.)
SOUTH ROSTON, Mar. 15.—Olivier J. Sands, executive director of the Tobacco Growers Co-operative Marketing Association and Tucker C. Watkins of this place last night addressed a representative gathering of business men and farmers on the question of organizing a branch of the credit bank establishment of which in Danville was assured there yesterday. The local bank would be a branch of that to be located in Danville.

Mr. Sands spoke at some length on the question and approved the proposed branch here. Tucker Watkins also made an address and there were expressions of endorsement from the floor from business men. As a result of this meeting South Boston interest announced the subscription of \$25,000 in stock and it was decided that a similar amount should be raised in Halifax county. To that end a meeting was held at Halifax court-house this morning and steps taken to sell the stock among the farmers.

Those who subscribed stock last night and the completion of Mr. Sands' presentation of the proposal include the following:

J. T. Lacy, \$4,000; W. T. Waller, \$1,000; T. C. Watkins, Jr., \$1,000; J. B. Wilborn, \$3,000; C. C. Hargett, \$2,000; J. D. Hargett, \$3,000; South Boston Lumber Company \$500; W. H. Mosley, \$500; J. W. Hardy, \$500; Overbey, Lacy and Webb, \$1,000; W. S. Barnett, \$300; J. R. Hodges, \$200; R. C. Beard, \$200; W. H. Hargett, \$200; Dr. H. G. Hargett, \$200; E. L. Trayham, \$200; T. A. Crowell, \$200; T. C. Wright, \$200; H. M. Pointdexter, \$200; J. M. East, \$200; J. T. Tule, \$200; W. H. Lawson, \$200; Fred B. Hargett, \$200; C. A. Hargett, \$200; Jaffe, \$100; C. P. Bann, \$100; Virgin Implement and Hardware Co., \$200; Penick Hargett Co., \$100; Dr. R. L. Lacy, \$200; W. P. Alley, \$200; Dr. J. M. Coleman, \$200; Dr. J. F. Hargett, \$200; Dr. H. G. Hargett, \$200; R. H. Hargett, \$200; W. H. Hargett, \$200; Dr. S. C. Hargett, \$200; Dr. S. A. Hargett, \$200.

STIFF FIGHTING IN MEXICO WAR REPORTS STATE

(By The Associated Press.)
VERA CRUZ, March 16.—Heavy firing in the vicinity of Puerto Mexico, where the rebels are being attacked by government troops, under General Jose Dominguez, is reported by refugees.

The fighting is believed to be taking place at a strategic point on the railway about 18 miles from Puerto Mexico, where the rebels have erected strong defenses.

The federal general, Fausto Topeta, has established headquarters at El Hule, 20 miles southwest of Tlaxiaca on the Isthmian Railway and heavy reinforcements are going forward to strengthen the defenses.

The rebel general, Basquial Carlin, with headquarters at Naranjal, surrendered with 150 men and came to Vera Cruz last night to arrange terms.

BUSY ACTIVITIES

CORDOBA, VERA CRUZ, Mexico, March 15.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Cordoba Junction, point of the Mexican Railway and the National Line running to the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, is the seat of busy military activities in connection with the federal advance against revolutionary forces in the Isthmus and the protection of the main-line communication between Mexico City and Vera Cruz. Scores of troop trains pass over the line each way and hundreds of tons of railway material for the repair of the Tehuantepec line, seriously damaged by the rebels in their retreat from Tlaxiaca, are being shipped through this point.

To the North American observer the troop trains are the most picturesque feature of the military activities. The Mexican soldier must prepare his own food and provide his delicate needs. The army provided for that purpose and as a result many of them are accompanied by their wives and entire families, the family dog and pig, poultry and other essential edibles. The wives and children traveling on the troop trains are provided with shelter, many times on top of the box cars, made of grass, thatched palm leaves, or a sheet of canvas, stretched over wooden supports. When stops are made the women prepare the meals and take care of the family washing.

The food is prepared over small charcoal stoves and oftentimes a board placed between the brake beams of the car serves as dining table. Parents labor to keep their children on the side of the car, dogs scurry about in search of scraps of food and the children play about under the watchful eyes of the mother.

Mrs. Matilda Gibson Dies at Rutherford

A letter received this morning from New York brought word of the death in Rutherford, N. J., of Mrs. Matilda F. Gibson, in her 91st year. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Flora Moffett, from the infirmities of old age. Mrs. Gibson is remembered by some of the older residents of Danville for she had been away from Danville for forty years or more. She was the wife of J. W. Gibson who nearly fifty years ago was engaged in the tobacco business in Danville. His business was engaged in during the time of his residence was J. W. Skinner who well recalled Mrs. Gibson today. E. G. Mosley was another who remembered him. Mr. Gibson lived here with his wife for several years, but was engaged in business as a contractor and later operating a tobacco factory Mrs. Gibson probably also is remembered in Hendersonville, N. C., where they once lived.

To Give Repaired Vessel Trial Trip Last of Month

(By The Associated Press.)
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., March 15.—The United States shipping board liner Republic, repaired after being damaged in a collision off the Virginia Capes the last of this month. No date for the trial has yet been set but work is being pushed ahead on the ship as rapidly as possible.

The Republic, formerly the President Buchanan, will be repaired and run between New York and German ports when she is commissioned.

WEDDING LICENSE ISSUED

A wedding license has been issued in the office of the clerk of the corporation court by J. C. Hargett, of Schoolfield and Minnie Newman, of Danville.

Church Notes

Burton Memorial Presbyterian, L. P. McCulloch, minister. 8:45 Sunday school, H. E. Speas, Supt. Morning worship and sermon at 11, subject "Facing the Facts." Young People's service 6:45. Evening worship and sermon at 7:30, subject, "Need and Supply." During the afternoon the annual every member canvass will be made. Tuesday evening, the last meeting of the Women's Auxiliary for this church year. Very important. Mid-week service Wednesday at 7:30.

Christian Science Society, 719 Masonic Temple. Services Sunday at 11 a. m. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 8.

The Jefferson Avenue Christian Church, Charles L. Garrison, pastor. Bible school 9:30. 2 Men's Bible class and communion at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon, "The Church." Junior Endeavor Society meets at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor meeting 6:45. Evening worship 7:30.

Rev. John N. Ragdale will preach at Design Methodist Church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Grace Methodist Church, corner of Chatham and West Thomas streets. Rev. E. F. Hall, pastor. Live, spiritual Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Elliott, Supt. Class 2. Men's Bible class and communion at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon, "The Church." Visitation to extend a cordial invitation to all men to come and study the Bible with them, and become partakers by the "Spirit of Grace." Men's service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The Epworth League in town, senior and junior chapters, meets at 7:30 p. m. Monday. Good programs. Visitors welcome. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting will begin Sunday, March 22, the fourth Sunday, when Pastor Evangelist S. B. Williams is to be with us to conduct a campaign for God and righteousness against the devil and sin.

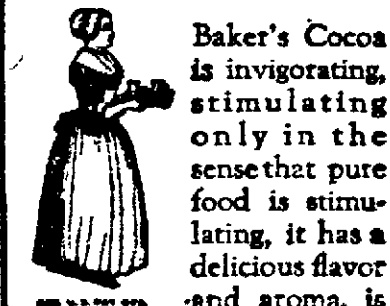
Mount Vernon Methodist Church. Rev. Samuel T. Senter, D. D., Pastor. The Pastor, Dr. Senter, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning Subject, "The Burden of Sin." Evening Subject, "The Misunderstood Disciple." J. Carson Watson, Supt. of Sunday School. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Escalades at 6:45. Wednesday evening prayer service 7:45.

The Lutheran church of the Ascension, Sutherland avenue, J. W. Link, pastor. We extend you a cordial welcome to our church and its services. Sunday school opens at 9:45 a. m. The theme for the 11 o'clock morning hour of worship is "A Suffering Faith" and the 7:30 evening hour, "The Spirit That Resists." The mid-week Lenten service is held Wednesday evening at 7:30.



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TODAY OUR HAT'S OFF TO



James Murtagh. He is 84 and lives more or less of a hermit life on Goat Island, Newington, N. H. Waters of the Piscataquis River were choked with ice floes and James was cut off from the mainland.

Instead of waiting for Starvation to swim over to him, he made a "boat" from a half barrel (his own boat drifted away). When, in his tub, he crossed to the mainland, and gave Starvation a good kick in the well-known trousers.

Our hat's off to him!

M. Martin, Supt. Bible class for men, taught by J. J. Flippin. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Dr. Topper. "Helping God to Do His Work" and "Signs of the Times." Epworth League at 6:45. Miss Elise Savage, leader. Mid-week prayer services Wednesday 8 p. m.

Chamber Leases Large Suite in Masonic Temple

The Masonic Building Corporation yesterday closed a lease with the Chamber to Commerce whereby that organization acquires a suite of rooms comprising all the offices on the Union street side of the eighth story of the temple. The partitions will be removed which now divide this space into offices in order the better to adapt it to the needs of the Chamber, and the work of making such interior alterations will be undertaken at once. While the figures in the lease were not named, they are satisfactory to both lessor and lessee. The Chamber of Commerce has a lease on its present quarters in the Holland building until June, which will give it ample time to await the interior changes in the prospective quarters in the temple. It will probably occupy the new quarters by or about May 1, possibly earlier.

This is the largest single lease negotiated by the temple corporation. Besides the rooms to be joined, the lease carries with it the privileges of occupying and using the auditorium on the tenth floor of the temple, when that has not been previously engaged.

Incidentally the conclusion of this lease negotiation means that all but about 50 or 60 rooms in the temple are occupied and that the annual income from leases in the building will aggregate a little more than \$55,000 per annum. The building corporation or holding company by which the construction of the temple was insured now has a floating debt of about \$36,000 which it is desirous of liquidating as soon as it can, but meanwhile it is paying dividends on the preferred stock subscribed by citizens and business, particularly its general debt secured by mortgage is \$200,000. The directors are gratified at the progress made in renting quarters in the building, which incidentally is regarded as at a very reasonable price. Contrasted with the experience in renting the quarters on the old four-story temple, the progress made in leasing the quarters in the ten-story structure is all the more gratifying.

With all the offices rented, the management of the corporation will direct its energies to leasing all the offices and then to the retirement of the mortgage debt, the paying of interest on the preferred stock and finally the retirement as quickly as practicable of the preferred stock.

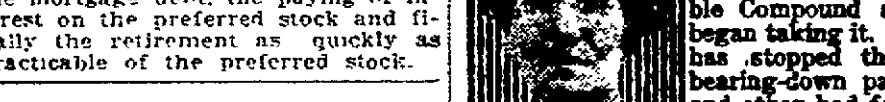
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Just spread it on with your fingers. Gently but surely it penetrates to the sore spot and draws out the pain.

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Membership Drive of Y. M. C. A. Off to Flying Start Now

"They're off!"

That phrase, roared from thousands of intent spectators at one of the great race-tracks as a bunch of keen, restless "bang-tails" lined up for the start get away at the start—er's shot and the thunder of pounding hoofs resounds in unison.

Just as the pick of horseflesh conditioned and trained to a nicely impatient to go, so the hundred men enlisted in the competitive canvass for 1,000 or more members for the Danville Y. M. C. A. were lined up, keyed up and conditioned to go at the best pace of which they were capable. The starter gave the word last night, and they off in the race with the home-stretch far away, but beckoning the competitors onward.

The horse that sets the pace and makes the going in an honest and good-natured race is always the winner. Often the pace-maker wearies ere the stretch is reached and not infrequently is found in the rack as some other well-plotted horse emerges from the day-going bunch toward the rear and begins to show both his speed and his stamina, or "bottom," as the horsemen call it. So it may turn out in this day-long race.

The soliciting team, which maintains a steady pace without wearying greatly and reserves its strength and its energies for the hour when the struggle grows tense and the honors uncertain.

To change the figure somewhat, the competitors in the "Y" annual membership campaign are not named for horses, but for birds—a design going suggests a locomotive, or better still, a fast motor-car, was present with his Blue Bird flock and seemed to be as cheerful as the Spring messenger.

The canvasser for some four hundred additional members and a large number of membership renewals was preceded by a surfer at the auditorium of the Y last evening at 6:30, and few of the hundred workers were missing, judged from a survey of the room. Supper was served by a bevy of young misses from the Findlay Presbyterian church and quickly and well served, too, winning for the servers and caterers an enthusiastic expression of appreciation.

In the absence of M. Nelson, Colonel A. E. Carrington was general chairman for the evening. On the rostrum with him were Rev. Joseph Duglington, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church; General Secretary J. E. Corwine, of the Association, Jack Whittington, W. T. Gravelly, chairman of the membership committee and others. As soon as a blessing had been asked, the "birds" fell to and developed "unusually human appetites. The inner, the talks and preliminary instructions to the leaders of both competing groups in the drive, were all backed into an hour, and then a few minutes were left.

After the acting general chairman had called to order, he introduced Jack Whittington, who in the dual capacity of Scout leader and boys' work secretary will direct his work from the headquarters. Mr. Whittington has the punch in his talk and does not waste words. He acknowledged the greetings with a concise outline of the work he was undertaking stimulated the interest of all in this phase of the Y work, which will assume even larger significance with the prospective enlargement of the building, an attainment forecast for consummation during the coming year.

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General Secretary Corwine then outlined the forer, terms of membership—the business men's, the regular men's membership, the boys' department and the employed boys' branch, the fees being \$20 for the first year, \$10 for regular men's memberships, and \$6 for the two classes of boys and youths. Payments of fees might be made in a lump, semi-annually or quarterly, but in case of installment payments the sign-up must put all or part of the fee, or give a note or post-dated check for the balance. Because this association was in competition with the Lynchburg Y, which is engaged

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KNIGHTS TEMPLAR WORK

Dove Commandery, No. 7, Knights Templar held a special convocation in their asylum, Masonic Temple Thursday night and conferred the Red Cross and Malta degrees on several pilgrims headed for the Templar degree.

Forelock lodge, No. 210, A. F. & A. M., at its stated communication in the temple Thursday night, with a good attendance of members, dispatched a quantity of business, included action on several petitions and the filing of others. Interests in this lodge is now active, and its officers are working efficiently and zealously.

HELPED HER IN EVERY WAY

So Writes Mrs. Trombley of Sharon, Vt., Concerning Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Sharon, Vermont.—"I was weak and run-down, had a tired feeling and bearing-down pains. I saw an advertisement in the newspaper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and began taking it. It has stopped these bearing-down pains and other bad feelings, and has helped me in every way. I have so much faith in the Vegetable Compound that I keep it on hand all of the time and recommend it whenever I have the opportunity."—Mrs. LAWIS TROMBLEY, Sharon, Vermont.

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BRIDGE COMPANY DECLINES TO WAIVE ITS CONTRACT

REIDSVILLE, N. C., March 15.—The Luten Bridge Company, Knoxville, Tenn., has notified the county commissioners that the company will proceed with the construction of the bridge.

The letter reads as follows:

"We have received from Wade H. Gentry, register of deeds and clerk to the board, a communication dated February 21, 1924, reading:

"By order of the board of commissioners of Rockingham county I am instructed to send you the enclosed resolution which was passed at a meeting of the board Thursday, February 21, 1924."

"With said communication was enclosed what appears to be resolutions passed by the board of commissioners of Rockingham county held at Wentworth on February 21, 1924, to the effect that the board is of the opinion that the construction of the bridge across Dan river, known as the Fishing Creek bridge, is not in the public interest, and that all orders heretofore made for the construction of said bridge are rescinded and annulled, and that the contract for the construction of the said bridge is not a legal and valid contract and rescinding and annulling the same, and further directing the clerk of the board to inform you that said board refuses to recognize said paper as a valid contract and to proceed no further thereunder."

"We write to advise you that we entered into a contract with the board of commissioners by which we agreed to furnish the material and to construct a certain bridge over Dan river near Fishing Creek according to certain plans and specifications accompanying said contract. This contract was entered into in good faith upon our part and with the belief that it was likewise executed in good faith and for the purpose and intention of being carried out both by us and your board."

"We are unable to agree with you that this contract is for any reason invalid or illegal, and we cannot consent to its rescission or cancellation or to any other conduct upon your part which will excuse you from the full and complete execution and compliance therewith upon the part of the board of commissioners at Rockingham county. We have already assembled a lot of material, organized our forces and performed a portion of the contract. It shall be our purpose to live up to and carry out the contract upon our part, and this is to advise you that we shall expect you to do the same upon your part and that we will be paid by the county in accordance with the contract for the material and work done by us in the completion of the construction of the said bridge. We shall proceed at once and vigorously the construction of this bridge in fulfillment of our contract with full confidence that the county will fulfill its part and pay for the same."

TICKER TALK

Thomson & McKinnon

NEW YORK, March 15.—Poincare revenue and economies bill adopted in French Senate by vote of 154 to 141.

Pennsylvania Railroad grants 6.2 per cent. wage increase to trainmen, conductors and switch tenders.

Dun's reports new trend in either demand or price.

Buying continues moderate and price movement narrow.

Bradstreet's shows trade irregular and less the industries. Steel output is close to record rate of late spring.

Consolidated Gas Company may undertake financing totalling between \$40 to \$50 million dollars in connection with expansion program this year involving \$69,000,000.

London hears negotiations by Ford Motors for factory site there are about completed.

Continued dullness in home markets results in resumption in export movement of wool. Export sales during last week estimated at close to one million pounds.

Average price twenty industrials 34.66 up .51. Twenty rails 81.47, up .16.

Chamber Directors Underwrite Fund For Legion's Meet

At a meeting of directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon the old quarters a number of matters of interest came up for discussion, of which one of more than usual interest was the action of the Chamber in endorsing and practically underwriting the plans for the State convention of the American Legion in this city, in the final week of August. It is understood that the plans for defraying the expenses of this patriotic body's sessions and entertainment at Danville for three days will exceed \$5,000, but the convention will bring more than 400 virile young Virginians, the flower of the State's patriotism for a stay of at least three days and will be a noteworthy feature of the coming summer's activities.

Another phase of the directors' meeting was the conclusion of arrangements for the early removal of the Chamber's quarters from its familiar location in the Holland building to the eighth floor of the Masonic Temple, where a desirable suite of offices has been leased which will be made more convenient by removing the partitions between some of the rooms. As a matter of fact, the Chamber is to have the use of the auditorium on the top floor of the temple for its annual meetings and special public meetings, when that hall has not been pre-empted for some other purpose.

One of the most interesting things done by the directors was the endorsement of the movement to raise \$10,000 for the enlargement of Providence Hospital, an institution established and maintained for the treatment of negro patients. When the Community chest drive was put on in Danville, well known colored citizens and clergymen asked to participate in that movement and to have the Providence Hospital made a beneficiary. It was deemed wiser by the promoters of the chest plan, however, to defer aiding in a campaign for funds to be used for the enlargement of the hospital, situated on South Main street, Obedient to the promise of assistance at that time, the Chamber of Commerce endorsed this movement and will aid in promoting the success of the campaign.

VALUE CONDITIONING OF VETERAN PLAYERS

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 14.—What should be the major head effort to have his veterans in the best possible condition by opening day?

Very few youngsters are going to better the performances turned in by some of the established stars last year.

Consider these plucked at random: League of Cincinnati led the National League pitchers in games won and in strikeouts; Carey of the Pirates led his league in stolen bases and three batters; Beckwith of the Washington accepted more chances than any other shortstop in the American League, and was the best sacrifice hitter.

Spies of the White Sox was the Cleveland made more two base hits; Jamieson of the same team made the most hits; Scott of the Yankees led the shortstops in fielding averages and hung up a world record for consecutive games of the In.

McInnis of the Braves made the most sacrifice hits in the National League; Williams of the Phillies the most home runs.

STOCK REPORT

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Aitchison	98 1/2
Anacosta Copper	34
Allied Chemical & Dye	67 1/2
Amer. & Foreign	62 1/2
American Locomotive	73 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	129
American International	22 1/2
American Can	115 1/2
American Sugar	53 1/2
Amer. Woolen	73 1/2
Amer. H. & L. pfd.	56 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	122 1/2
Behleheim Steel "B"	56 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	56
Chandler	63 1/2
Chandler Motors	61 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	75 1/2
Cosden & Co.	35 1/2
Corn Products	178 1/2
Continental Can	49 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar	45 1/2
Chile Copper	27 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar, com.	15 1/2
do pfd.	68
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	15 1/2
do pfd.	25 1/2
Chicago & N. W.	50 1/2
East	19
Erle, first pfd.	31 1/2
Famous Players-Lasky	66 1/2
General Motors	13 1/2
General Asphalt	41 1/2
Great Northern, pfd.	56 1/2
Gulf States Steel	60 1/2
Int. Mer. Marine	28 1/2
Immaculate Oil	14 1/2
Kennecott Copper	36 1/2
Kelly-Springfield Tire	17 1/2
Massey, pfd.	38 1/2
Middle States Oil	19
Mont. Ward & Co.	25 1/2
Miami Copper	22 1/2
Maxwell Motor "A"	51 1/2
Norfolk & Western	12 1/2
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N. Y. Central	101
N. Y. Air Brake	40 1/2
Overland	11 1/2
Pacific Oil	51 1/2
Pan-American Petroleum	45 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	19
Ray Consolidated	10
Rep. Iron & Steel	55 1/2
Sinclair Oil & Refining	22 1/2
Southern Pacific	86 1/2
Southern Railway	100 1/2
S. O. of N. J.	37 1/2
Southern Railway, com.	53 1/2
Tobacco Products	89 1/2
Tobacco Prod. "A"	89 1/2
United States Rubber	34 1/2
United States Steel	102 1/2
Vanadium Corp.	30 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	62 1/2
Wabash, pfd. "A"	47 1/2
Union Carbide	59 1/2
Sales to noon, 450,900.	

Senator Walsh III Committee Recess

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The oil committee took a sudden recess today, adjourning Tuesday because of the illness of Senator Walsh, of Montana, its chief prosecutor.

A cold from which the senator suffered for some time developed into a slight bronchial trouble and his physician advised him to rest for several days. It was stated that his condition was not serious.

Until Senator Walsh returns to the capitol the order of procedure in the inquiry will be undetermined. There are several phases remaining including the report of auditors who examined the books of stock exchange; examination of witnesses relating to the story of Leonard Wood, Jr., regarding alleged attempts at "oil deals" during the Republican convention at Chicago in 1920; and the questioning of Harry F. Sinclair.

SOLDIER BONUS BILL COMES BEFORE HOUSE FOR VOTE TUESDAY

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Protected by rules prohibiting amendments and limiting debate the soldiers bonus bill will be brought before the House for a vote next Tuesday.

Under this agreement, agreed upon in the House today, a two-thirds vote will be necessary for passage by proponents of the measure tonight, provided approval of the measure. A vote of a full cash payment option form the principal opposition of the bill as drawn, but as a protest on the floor today against consideration of the measure under limiting rules this group said no organized effort to obstruct the measure was to be expected.

The bill provides for paid-up 20 year endowment life insurance policies and cash payment to veterans entitled to not more than \$50. Representative Jeffers, Democrat, Alabama, who favors a cash option, described the bill on the floor today as a "gold brick" and protested against consideration of the bill under the limiting rules. Other speakers also declared for a full cash payment option.

FIRE! FIRE!



Good Morning Judge!

Three traffic violations were the only cases disposed of in the police court this morning. Three others were continued. Those fined were A. B. Blier, \$11 and costs for reckless driving, T. O. Moss, speeding \$21 and costs and G. W. Abbott \$11 and costs for reckless driving. The cases postponed were M. Kiaz, speeding, V. O. Nelson, Jr., speeding, Etta Powell, violating the Mapp act. Two drunks were dealt with.

ROCKY MOUNT SOCIAL LIFE DURING WEEK

ROCKY MOUNT, Va., March 14.—Little Miss Elizabeth Carroll on Tuesday afternoon, entertained 36 of her friends at a most enjoyable party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Carroll. To celebrate her eight birthday. The hostess was the recipient of a number of beautiful presents. After an hour and a half of merry-making, ice cream and cake were served.

The evening from eight to eleven o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Carroll were host and hostess at a delightful rook party. After a number of enthusiastic progressions, an enjoyable salad course and ices and cake were served.

Mrs. J. F. Graves, the attractive house guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. D. Ponton, for several days, has returned to Danville.

Mrs. A. A. Robinson, who has been in Charlottesville for two days, being called there by the illness of her niece, returned today.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Robinson were in Roanoke Wednesday shopping.

Mrs. A. A. Robinson, who is pleasantly remembered here by her former visits to her sister, Mrs. J. R. Robinson, is reported improving after a critical operation in a Richmond hospital.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Poindeux is critically ill of pneumonia.

Stillman Lost Suit for Divorce

NEW YORK, March 14.—The end of the 44-month legal battle unsuccessfully waged by James A. Stillman, former president of the National City Bank to win a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Anne Urquhart Stillman, came today, in the opinion of her counsel, with the unanimous decision of the Supreme Court, appellate division, upholding Mrs. Stillman's victory in the lower court.

Today's decision was on an appeal made by Stillman on November 7 to reopen the case and obtain a new trial. It upheld the findings of Referee Gleason, later confirmed by Supreme Court Justice Morschauer, and decided that Mrs. Stillman's guilty plea and that his baby son Guy had not been proved illegitimate.

The appellate division made no pronouncement on the question of whether Mrs. Stillman was guilty as charged by her husband of misconduct with Fred R. Beauvais, French-Indian guide, employed by the Stillmans. Such a finding was not necessary to support the decision and would not change the result. It was stated.

Isaac N. Mills, of counsel for Mrs. Stillman started a divorce action on Mr. Stillman withheld the support, which Mills said, today's decision entitled her. Counsel for Mr. Stillman withheld comment.

PLUNKETT REPEATED GOSSIP

(By The Associated Press.)

Children Under Protection of The League of Nations

(By The Associated Press.)

GENEVA, Switzerland, March 15.—Henceforth, the children of the world will be under the protection of the League of Nations. The International Bureau for Promotion of Child Welfare has been functioning in Brussels under the auspices of thirty governments and various national organizations but the council of the league, with the consent of the interested parties, has authorized the centralization of all child welfare activities here.

A special department will be created by the league to handle all matters concerning the protection of children.

Schooner Breaking Up On Shore Says Report By Radio

(By The Associated Press.)

SAN PEDRO, Cal., March 15.—A three-masted unidentified schooner is ashore and breaking up at Cape Corrientes, west coast of Mexico, according to a radio message received here by the Radio Corporation of America from the master of the steamer Commercial Traveler, enroute from New York to San Pedro. The dispatch did not state whether the Commercial Traveler had gone to the rescue.

Ancient Cannon Dug Up In River

(By The Associated Press.)

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., March 15.—A small cannon, said by some to have been one of the first guns mounted by the ships which brought the settlers to Jamestown, was dug up in James River yesterday by oyster tongs. The cannon was in a fair state of preservation and is being cleaned up to be placed on exhibition.

Ordinance experts here are not certain as to just what period the cannon belongs. They say, however, that it appears too ancient in style to have been one of the guns used in the Civil War.

Mrs. Mallory To Sail On May 14

(By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 15.—Mrs. Molla Husted Mallory will sail for Europe May 14th to participate in the Olympic games as a member of the Norwegian Women's Tennis team and to take part as a member of an American team in the "Wigman" tennis matches against their stars. She will also compete in the British championships.

Mrs. Mallory, former national champion, yesterday confirmed reports that she will represent Norway, her native country, at the Olympics. Her efforts to include her on the United States team failed.

Earth Tremor Is Felt In England

(By The Associated Press.)

LONDON, Mar. 15.—An earth tremor of sufficient violence to overturn light furniture and accompanied by a rumbling noise, startled the villagers of Hadenham, Cambridgeshire yesterday, according to the Daily Mail. The seismographs have no record of the movement.

Ask Permission to Go Ahead With 12 Miles New Line

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The Hampton and Branchville railroad asked the Interstate Commerce Commission today for permission to proceed with the construction of 12 miles of new main line from Smokes to Canada's Cross Roads, both points in South Carolina. Later on the application said, the company purposes to build 16 additional miles and when the entire extension is complete will be in a position to serve 300 square miles of thickly populated and timbered land which has now insufficient railroad service.

APPROVE TAX RAISE

PARIS, March 15.—The Senate today adopted the section of Premier Poincare's financial reform measures which provides for a twenty per cent. increase in French taxes.

LONE SCOUTS TO CONSOLIDATE WITH BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

(By The Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, March 15.—Consolidation of the Lone Scouts of America with the Boy Scouts of America, whereby the membership of the Boy Scouts will be increased from 600,000 to 700,000, was begun here today.

The merger was sanctioned recently by the executive board of the Boy Scouts at a meeting in New York and Armstrong Perry, former chief pioneer scout of the Boy Scouts, was commissioned to devise means of effecting the amalgamation.

In pursuance of this charge, Mr. Perry opened an office in Chicago today.

Boy Scout officials and many of the local boy scouts will be guests tonight of the Chicago Lone Scout League at an anniversary banquet to be given by the latter organization. This will be the first get-together meeting since the merger was sanctioned.

The two organizations will retain their separate identities while the problems of linking of the two building bodies is being studied by officials of the Boy Scouts and the Lone Scouts under the direction of Mr. Perry.

The Lone Scout movement, primarily designed for country boys, was started in 1915 by W. D. Boyce, Chicago, who also was responsible for the starting of the Boy Scouts in the United States because a "good turn" done by a Boy Scout for him in London.

The country boy was unable to avail himself of the privileges of the Boy Scouts because of the difficulty in organizing troops in small places, so Mr. Boyce conceived the idea of the Lone Scouts for the boy on the farm and in the rural community. That movement spread as did the Boy Scouts, until it had a registration of more than 600,000, extending over every part of the country. It is estimated by Mr. Perry that there are about 100,000 active Lone Scouts now.

The program of the two organizations are much alike, as are the uniforms worn by the boys. One difference is that the Lone Scouts are led by boys themselves while the Boy Scouts have adult troop scoutmasters. Although designed for country districts, the Lone Scout movement has spread to many of the large cities. The Chicago membership is estimated at one thousand.

Scout Troops No. 2 Holds Meeting

A meeting of Boy Scouts, troop No. 2, was held Friday afternoon. The members assembled at 7:30 sharp at Green Street park. From there the troop marched to the Y. M. C. A. where the regular meeting was held. The meeting opened with the Lord's prayer, led by Kenneth Jones, and was followed by the Scout oath and laws, led by Wilbur Coleman. The roll was called by the scoutmaster, and the meeting was closed with a song.

Poincare Scores Victory After a Hard Struggle

(By The Associated Press.)

PARIS, March 15.—Fighting single handed against the strongest opposition encountered during his present administration, Premier Poincare has won for his government the right to make laws governing immediate economic and fiscal measures by simple decree, without parliamentary ratification.

The victory came when the Senate after a lengthy session, bowed to the premier's will and by a vote of 154 to 141, agreed to the bill of authorization in the form passed by the Chamber of Deputies.

It was the nearest Poincare has come to defeat since assuming the premiership in January 1922. With the supporting votes of his colleagues in the cabinet, his majority have been but seven.

Article I of the measure, carrying the authorization asked by M. Poincare, was adopted after rejection of the amendment. The bill is designed to give the government wide powers in combating economic and financial evils, which are held partly responsible for the recent decline of the franc.

GEN. CHAPPELL DIES

(By The Associated Press.)

SAN DIEGO, Calif., March 15.—General De Rosey Carroll Chappell, 62, United States Army, retired, formerly commander of the Southern Division at San Antonio, Texas, died here early this morning of heart disease.

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A THOUGHT

Abstain from all appearances of
evil.—1 Thes. 5:22.

Bad conduct soils the finest or-
nament more than filth.—Plautus.

SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1924.

THE FARM CREDIT BANK

The assurance given yesterday that
the farm credit bank which has been
discussed for several weeks would be
located in this city is, as we view it
of less importance economically to
Danville as was the spirit of interest
and the response made by the
business and mercantile interests of
Danville in the opportunity offered.
It was the first concrete opportunity
to show the real spirit of the allied
business interests of Danville since
acrimony has marked the rival claims
between two elements striving for
supremacy in the matter of tobacco
marketing. Danville business men
and merchants yesterday showed be-
yond any doubt a desire to continue
to perform acts of service not to any
one group of that large element but
to the whole agricultural body of the
surrounding section.

It demonstrated beyond any ques-
tion the absurdity of the story which
has repeatedly been finding its way
back to Danville that the interests in
Danville have conspired against the
success of co-operative marketing.
The attitude of this city as expressed
through the Chamber of Commerce
which represents the thought of the
commercial interests of Danville has
been one of consistent fairness to-
wards both groups of farmers and
has been based on the concept of
free trade and equal opportunity.

We congratulate the merchants and
business men of Danville in giving
this striking earnest of support in the
culmination of the effort made by
the Chamber of Commerce. In ex-
pressing our appreciation to Oliver J.
Sands for his abiding faith in Dan-
ville and his expressed recognition of
its vibrance and business stability we
feel sure that we voice the sentiment
of all elements of life in this city.
The temporary board of directors is
soundly conservative and we know of
no man better fitted for its leadership
than the president, W. R. Fitzgerald
who was appointed temporarily or
until the charter is received and or-
ganization on a permanent basis can
be affected. The possibilities of the
bank are wide and should be sus-
tained by Danville as a unit. As Mr.
Sands pointed out yesterday it should
prove a boon not only to the tobacco
farmers in whose interest it is pri-
marily founded, service may become
a statewide institution for other agri-
cultural elements and thus give fur-
ther impetus to this city's commercial
and business life.

We trust that the report of yester-
day's meeting, the harmony which
prevailed, and the self evident inter-
est displayed by Danville in being
of service to the farmers will travel to
all parts of Danville's local trading
area and will effectively spike the
masked batteries of those who have
for motives which we concede to be
ulterior have sought to prejudice the
farming element against Danville
which is reality.

SUCCESS OF OIL PROBE

No better proof of the inherent
soundness of democracy could be
found than the success of the sen-
ate's investigation of the naval re-
serve oil lease. When it was an-
nounced that Senator Lenroot, the
chairman, would retire from the com-
mittee, there was scarcely a ripple of
excitement. It was quickly ascer-
tained that the net effect would be a dis-
tinct gain for Lenroot is at once to
be replaced by Senator Land, who
distinctly does not represent the wing
of the party in power that has been
obstructing the probe. So the probe
will go on, probably to new victories
over evasion, lying and obstruction.

Among the major victories for the
senate probe are:

Fellowship of Prayer

Daily Lenten Bible reading
and meditation prepared for
Commission on Evangelism of
Federal Council of the Churches
of Christ in America.

SATURDAY
Prayer and Will of God

Read Mt. 26:36-46. Text: 26:42.
Again a second time he went away
and prayed, saying . . . they will be
done.

"The whole subject of prayer clears
up somewhat when we recognize that
prayer is not an effort to bend God's
will, to persuade God to do some-
thing that he would rather not do,
but that it is the reverent opening of
the heart and mind to such incom-
prehensible feeling and thought of God
as may be appropriate to the situa-
tion in which we find ourselves.
There is need to take account, too,
of human frailty and short-sighted-
ness."

MEDITATION: How much we
might be helped if we but knew the
rest of this prayer of Jesus! If we
had all his words would they not be
expressed in other words this sense of
consecration and longing of his inner
life—"Thy will be done?" May our
hearts be brought into such happy
accord with our Father God that we
shall be able to say "Thy will be
done?" In our lives also, and may we
have peace in following the leadings
of his spirit.

PERSONAL QUESTION: Can I

say "Thy will be done?"

PRAYER: O our Father, we pray

that thou wilt lift our souls into fel-
lowship with thee. May we labor
with thee. In the consciousness of
thy approval may we find blessed
Amen.

private enterprise.

2. Exposure of the long trail of

manipulation, featured by the trans-
fer of control of the reserves from
the navy department to the interior
department, and climaxed by the de-
livery of \$100,000 in a suitcase to
Secretary of the Interior Fall, from
Doheny.

3. Exposure of the blindness of

the department of justice under At-
torney General Daugherty, and the
employment of McLean, one of the
chief figures in the scandal, as an
agent of the secret service.

4. Exposure, step by step, of the

obstruction and political chicanery
that has sought to protect the ad-
ministration at any hazard, even
though a miscarriage of justice
should be the means of political safety;
exposure of the secret messages
and the secret conferences, and the
"leaks" from the probe committee,
now climaxed in the retirement of
Lenroot, because of "ill health."

What are the goals the investiga-
tion now approaches? First, recov-
ery of the leases. Second, prosecu-
tion of those tinged with suspicion
of guilt.

It is not the business of the senate

committee to prosecute. But the
leads that have been brought out af-
ford the basis of the civil and criminal
actions that the special prosecu-
tors have been designated to undec-
take.

There are many styles of attitude

that insincere persons may take to-
ward the oil lease probe. James
Harvey Robinson has made it popu-
lar to believe that most of our think-
ing is not thinking at all, but merely
the effort to find evidence to sus-
tain a previously determined opin-
ion. Perhaps that explains some of
the twaddle that is heard nowadays,
in attempt to pass the probe off lightly.

Perhaps that explains:

1. Why some say smartly that the

present situation is no worse than it
always is, and therefore, why take it
seriously.

2. Why some profess to believe

that no wrong has been committed
and the people are not interested.

3. Why some say the probe has

"failed."

But we shall go deeper to find the

underlying cause for the overwhelm-
ing sentiment of America, a straight-
thinking, intelligent sentiment that is
shocked beyond measure at the evi-
dences of moral turpitude in high
places, is angered at the spoliation
of the public wealth, sees the waste
of the navy's oil as little short of
treason, and the efforts to cloak
scoundrels as colossal perfidy.

In the fact that this is the over-
whelming sentiment of the American
people is the true vindication of
this thing we call democracy.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE

VOLUNTARILY GIVES

SANCTION TO LOAN

Declares Loans Are Worthy of En-
couragement.

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Presi-
dent Coolidge, although not asked by
New York financiers to give his ap-
proval to their loan to the Bank of
France, regarded today by American
financial interests as foreign govern-
ments as worthy of governmental and
private encouragement.

The economic recovery of Europe in
the opinion of President Coolidge
should be assisted because of the
world-wide benefits to be enjoyed as a
result and specifically because of the
fact that Europe once the United
States millions of dollars which it
cannot easily pay unless prosperity is
restored.

The president also feels that invest-
ments abroad by American financiers
will aid American trade and pro-
vide the practice of the British in re-
sisting trade through extensive loans.

The loan of \$100,000,000 by New
York bankers to the Bank of France
is understood to have been approved
by the State Department on the
ground that it was in line with the
policy laid down during the Harding
administration and reiterated by Mr.
Coolidge in his recent New York
speech.

VILLAGES LIKE MOVIES

LONDON, March 13.—People in
villages and small towns go to the
movies at least as often as inhabi-
tants of England's large cities ac-
cording to figures given in the Kin-
ematograph year book.

EVERETT TRUE :-- By Condo



HOW TO KEEP WELL

By DR. W. A. EVANS

Questions pertinent to hygiene sanitation and prevention of diseases,
if matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. The
space will not permit, or the subject is not suitable, letters will be
personally answered to proper limitations, and where a stamped, ad-
dressed envelope is enclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnosis or pre-
scribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be
answered. Address Dr. Evans, Care The Bee.

What Causes Colds?

Dr. D. F. Smiley, in charge of stud-
ent health at Cornell, finds that from
11 to 26 per cent. of the service he
renders the 5,000 students is for com-
mon colds. Apparently, students had
fewer colds in June than in any other
month, the other months ranking as
follows: May, November, April, Octo-
ber, December, February, January,
and March. However, the students
were only under observation for a
small part of June, most of them were
away for about one-third of Decem-
ber and one-tenth of January and
February is shorter by three days
than March. The number of consti-
tutions on account of colds in March
was more than twice the November
figure.

But not all the students with colds
consult the doctor even when consul-
tation is free. An investigation shows
that there were about four cases of
"common colds" for each case re-
corded at the doctor's office.

Dr. Smiley says: "The less of time
incurred by the immense number of
these mild infections and the decreased
efficiency due to them, easily ex-
plain why employers of large groups
of industrial workers are interested
in any scheme that holds forth any
promise of diminishing the incidence
of these infections."

Boys of college age have almost no
death rate from pneumonia, there-
fore, Dr. Smiley was not interested in
that disease. A health department
adds pneumonia to the reason, given
by Dr. Smiley for interest in colds.
They know that many colds run into
pneumonia and pneumonia is an im-
portant cause of death.

Dr. Smiley tried to find out what
caused "colds" by sending a ques-
tionnaire to several thousand students. 23
per cent. of the students had four or
more colds a year; 50 per cent. report
two or three a year and 15 per cent.
reported one cold a year or less. The
four colds a year group and the less
or less cold a year group were asked
thirteen questions, and the replies
were totaled. The questions were:
Do you smoke more than three times
a day? Have you ever had a nose or
throat operation? Do you breathe
much air containing dust or irritat-
ing gases? Do you breathe through
your mouth in sleeping? Do you
average eight hours sleep at night? Do
you average nine hours of rather vol-
untary exercise a week? Do you sleep
with a draft blowing over your head?
Do you wear woolen underwear? Are
you subject to constipation? Do you
bath daily? Do you take a cold
bath daily? Do your father and
mother have colds frequently? Do you
wear rubbers in wet, wintry weather?

In comparing the percentages of
"yes" answers in the two groups, Dr.
Smiley came to the conclusion that
none of these factors was of great im-

portance in causing "colds." The large
percentage of a "yes" answer was
in response to "Do you wear rubbers?"
Eighty-three per cent. of the
one cold group said "yes." But 61 per
cent. of the four cold group said
"yes."

So far as he has gone, Dr. Smiley
does not know what causes colds, or
how to prevent them. While he has not
had much success with vaccination, he
says his next attempt will be along
that line. He hopes to succeed in
preventing the secondary invaders and
in that way, making the "cold" mil-
lions of us do not prevent them.

Pipeless Gas Stoves.

C. W. G. writes: I have noticed late-
ly, especially in apartment houses,
many gas stoves without ventilation.
Will you tell me the dangers of such
stoves and how to avoid them.

REPLY

The very great danger is due to the
production of carbon monoxide. This
gas is highly poisonous. More so
than prussic acid or the gas gas-
in a stove that has no pipe this
gas accumulates in the air until the
proportion is great enough to cause
habitual headache. Many cases of
death due to acute monoxide poison-
ing from inhaling the air in rooms
heated by pipeless gas stoves are on
record. There is no record of fatal
cases of chronic monoxide poisoning.
There is also some harm and even
some danger of carbon dioxide poison-
ing. This is a far less poisonous gas.
Some health departments are begin-
ning to get active in the suppression
of the use of pipeless gas stoves in
living rooms and nurseries.

No Coffee For Children.

P. G. writes: We have a little girl
just 15 and her mother insists that
she should have a cup of hot coffee in
the mornings before going to school.
She doesn't seem to realize she is do-
ing the child an injury, and, of course,
I can't convince her. The child is
nervous and seizes, and ever takes
any exercise outside of walking. She
cries on the least provocation.

REPLY

You are right. Coffee has no place
in the diet of children. If adults want
to indulge moderately no great harm
will be done. There are some adults
of that age who are harmed by coffee
that are harmed by the moderate use
of coffee with meals once or twice a
day, but they are the exception.

In the case of children it is the
children not harmed that are the ex-
ceptions.

Do Your Wife Doesn't Obect.

A. D. S. writes: Will eating a raw
onion a day cause any ill effects?
I am in the habit of eating two a
day, but my wife, who has been told
that she will injure me, has been told
I work in a paint factory.

REPLY

If it does not cause your wife to
leave you it will do you no harm.
The onion has more laxative action
than any other vegetable.

There is no short cut to success,
even though the road be well-oiled.

What effect would the annexation
of the Pole and the proposed gift tax
have on the Santa Claus business?

Gen. Dawes may not encounter
Marla in Europe, but he will find
plenty of the other half of the
sketch.

Third party seeds are always in the
ground. Whether they sprout de-
pends entirely on the political
weather.

Washington hasn't done anything
yet with the suggestion that the cap-
itol dome be reshaped into a teapot.

Sit, resting in a Cuban hospital,
knocked two attendants cold and fell
down stairs, thus proving that rest,
after all, is a relative term.

NUDE WILL REMAIN

DUBLIN, March 13.—All kinds of
trouble have been started here when
Michael Sevier, painter, exhibited
nude painting in a Dublin art gal-
lery. The proprietor of the gallery
threatened to close the exhibition un-
less the picture was removed. It was
finally agreed that the picture may
stay until protest has been made by
the police.

ANVIL SPARKS

A government is a system of checks
and balances which tend to become
check books and bank balances.

Judging by reports, the oil in
Washington must be about knee deep
to a telephone pole.

The ex-kaiser is planting a rose
garden, which is one way to get your
flowers while you are living.

The interest on \$75 will amount to
\$14,000 if you can afford to wait
200 years for it.

In St. Louis, a man of 16 married
a woman of 74, this being the first
case of spring in St. Louis.

Now Sir Oliver Lodge is worried
about the world, indicating he is get-
ting into tears.

A Me town is a place where a po-
lice traffic cop may be charged with
conducting unbecoming an officer.

The G. O. P. was born 70 years ago
next July. And now look at it.

The most heavily insured man in
America is a 22-year-old boy.

Scoop's Colyum

DRAKES BRANCH, March 15.—
(Grapevine Wireless.)—Windy Wolf
sends in this pre-war stuff from
Pleasant Gap:

Without any extra
charge or tax I am happy
to give you a short course
in mixed history. It may
help you to answer some
of the questions put to
you by your children who
are in school.

Once upon a time in the
"Garden of Eden," there
lived a lad who thought
the "earth was round," so
he ate an "Apple" board-
ed the "Mayflower" and
landed at "Plymouth
Rock" shouting "Vivo, vivi vivincem!"
meaning "Don't fire until you see the
whites of their eyes."

The "Patriot" looked around
and seeing "Roosevelt's Rough
Riders" "Burning Rome" got out
"Nero's harp" and played "There'll
be a hot time in the old town to-
night." Jumped on "Harp's Fairy," across
"Lake Erie," shouted "don't give up the
ship!" "War is Hell." He passed
"Napoleon crossing the Alps" at
"Valley Forge" and "Washington
climbing the Alps" then the
"Green Desert" dried up—but "On
Rode the Brave 600" in the "Wonder-
ful One Hoss Shay." Then "Sir Wal-
ter Raleigh" layed his coat over the
"Panama Canal" and seeing the
"Pioneer" picking snufftowers in the
hot houses of New York, exclaimed
"You Too Brutus," and "Mark An-
thony" said "Remember the Alamo,"
and "Barney Google" at "Spark
Plug" funeral said "William Wouldn't
Tell shot 'Achilles' in the heel with his
hatchet saying 'I cannot tell a
lie.' "54-40 or fight" and "Ben Hur"
seeing "Betsey Ross," making a tie for
"King Tut," said "show every hair
on her gray head." But "Lincoln"
signed the "Arsenal" at the "Hippo-
potomax" and the "Boston Tea
Party" was held on the top of "Pike's
Peak," so there was nothing left for
the "Jinx Klan" do but to sink
the "Arlis" on "Mt. Vesuvius." "Noah"
was the only one saved so he erected
the "Washington Monument" show-
ing "Until we stand" divided "we hang
separately."

MORAL: "Give me Liberty" and
give me "Alimony."

A LAMP POST HAS
NEVER BEEN KNOWN
TO STRIKE A FLW
EXCEPT IN SELF
DEFENSE.

Brave is the man who dares to
hope that he can get th' Christmas
feeling with his tummy full o' dope.

Great doings at Rison Park Mon-
day night when the Minstrel Revi-
ue will be in the auditorium. Bene-
fit R. E. Lee School lunch room.

Tell Ma and Pa about it, and be on
hand yourself.

Money is the soothing syrup that
levels many differences in this old
world. All shades of political opin-
ion and the Co-ops and the Auction
allows and behind the new bank.
Verily the lion and the lamb have
rubbed noses. Success is assured!

Mondav is St. Patrick's Day, so
spring auto bust loose about Wednes-
day. The Greenery is given and a potato crop
will be in the ground by Friday.

Oh, you black-eyed Susan!

The boy without manners is like a
badly dressed man who has no sense—only
nice to look at.

This must be one of those hard
drawing pencils," mused Kelly Lewis,
as he whitened absently on his
Everysharp.

The report that a Christmas card
has reached its destination only this
week moves Junius to wish that
something like that could happen to
Christmas bills.

This is getting at the root of all
evil, said the preacher as he counted
the collection.

I had a lady friend named "Sis"
at sixteen she'd had no kiss;
At seventeen she'd found that bliss;
At eighteen—O, I must desist.

Teacher: If each of six after-din-
ner hours is given five minutes to
speak, how much time will they all
consume?

Bright Pupil: Two hours and forty
minutes.

Now is the time to pick out a way
to waste the money you will save
when taxes are lowered, says Tom
Luther, who thinks stable profits
come only from a well-groomed horse.

Whether a joke is a parlor story or
not, depends on whose parlor it is.

Fashionable women are wearing fur
bathing suits at the Florida resorts,
claiming to be Gladys, but reports do not
say how fur.

Dave Penn says some people can
remember their childhood pranks
better than they can remember last
month's bills.

We see by the Manchester, Conn.,
Guardian that: "Mixed bathing is
the center at the heart of American
social life." What would the senshe-
be without the ladies.

When a basketball team is photo-
graphed the manager is the man who
has his ugly knees covered.

It ain't so much what you put into
it as what you get out of it, remark-
ed the thief as the jimmied the col-
lection box.

Germ Destroyer.

Doctor: Deep breathing, you under-
stand, destroys disease germs.
Patient: But, doctor, how can I
force them to breathe deeply?

"Hi Andrews, an old and highly
respected citizen of Grant City, who
is 70 years of age, has been mar-
ried five times, twice a contem-
porary. His first wife was a Wood.
The next two were Nails, the next one
a Hammer and the present wife
maiden name was Batt. Wood, two
Nails, and a Hammer and Batt is a
matrimonial combination in a class
all by itself.

FORTUNE'S FOOL

By RAFAEL SABATINI

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"I lied!" he shouted wildly. When
next he looked up, he was laughing,
a ringing, exultant laugh. "Lied!"
There is something else. Look! And
he pulled his shirt wider apart, so
that the man might see what he had
found. And that was the last thing
that he remembered.

On his breast the flower of the
plague had blossomed while he slept.

The Post-House

There ensued for Colonel Holles on
some plabe other than that of mun-
dane life a period of fevered activity,
of dread encounters and terrible com-
bats, of continual strife with a relent-
less opponent dressed in black and
white satin who wore the countenance
of His Grace of Buckingham and who
was ever on the point of slaying him,
yet, being unmerciful, never slayed.

The next that that Holles lived in a
world of delirium, hence at last he
awakened one day to sanity—awake-
ness to die, as he thought, when he
had taken stock of his surroundings
and realized them by the aid of mem-
ories he assembled of his last wak-
ing.

He found himself lying on a pallet,
near a window, through which he
had a glimpse of foliage and of a
strip of indigo sky.

Tears gathered in his eyes and
rolled down his wasted cheeks.

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

SOCIETY NEWS
CLUB ACTIVITIES
AND PERSONAL

Social Activities

For Muscles of Your Back

HELPFUL HINTS

The Tangle

Patient Is Improving.
C. Linwood Boleseau, who recently went to Richmond to consult a specialist for his affected back, is convalescent at his home, 1472 North Main street, where he is now able to see friends. Mr. Boleseau, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Boleseau, developed the condition more than a year ago, and as it became worse he was removed to Richmond to consult a specialist who has prescribed a long course of treatment which will keep him confined to his bed probably for a year. The treatment for his affected spine is meeting with encouraging results, however, and his complete recovery is anticipated.

Mrs. Rabe's Guests.
Miss Lura Garner and Mrs. J. B. March, of Salisbury, N. C., are spending the week-end with Mrs. Allen T. Rabe. Both Mrs. March and Miss Garner are accomplished musicians, the former holding the position of organist, and the latter that of soloist in the First Baptist church of Salisbury.

Miss March will sing a solo: "O Rest In the Lord"—Mendelssohn, at morning service, Main Street Methodist church, tomorrow.

Informal Bridge Party.
Mrs. J. M. Thomas entertained informally at bridge Friday evening, in honor of Mrs. John Phillips, of Washington, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. C. Hannah, on Broad street.

Returned From Bridal Trip.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Estes Dudley arrived in the city this morning and will be the guests of their parents, Col. and Mrs. O. W. Dudley, for a short time before moving into their home in Gwynn apartments. Mr. and Mrs. Dudley have had a most delightful tour of over two thousand miles by automobile, including many Southern towns and Florida resorts.

W. M. U. Meeting.
The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Circle number 2 will be in charge of the program.

LIBRARY NOTES.

The "Ten Best Books."
The Outline of History, by H. G. Wells, stands at the top of the list of the ten best books written since 1900, according to the vote of the readers of the Literary Digest Book Review. "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," written by the Spanish novelist, Blasquez Ibanez in the early years of the war, ranks second, with A. S. M. Williams' "If Winter Comes," as the third. The other seven are: "Americanization of Edward Bok," by Edward Bok; "The Life of Christ," by Giovanni Papini; "The Crisis," by Winston Churchill; "Short Stories," by O. Henry; "The Virginian," by Owen Wister; "Life and Letters," by Walter H. Page; by Burton J. Hendrick; "The Mind in the Making," by James Harvey Robinson.

The above list is the final result of a very unique poll conducted by the International Book Review since last July, when its readers were invited to submit a list of books considered by them the best books published since 1900 in this or any other country. 1,763 persons responded by casting their ballots for 201 authors and 2,164 different books. The ten that finally received the highest number of votes were those given in the list above.

The votes have come from book-lovers from Maine to California. The Literary Digest of this week gives a most interesting account of the contest and also publishes a long list of books and authors that have appeared on the list, but did not receive a sufficient number of votes to put them on the honor list.

Personal.
—Mrs. W. A. Briggs and little daughter, Anne, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Clark, Green street.
—Mrs. W. P. Carver is critically ill at her home, 1423 Wilson street.
—State Senator W. A. Garrett, of Henry, spent last night in the city visiting Rorer A. James, Jr., at his home on Main street.
—Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Edmunds have as their guests, Mrs. Harry Pettis Sara Davis and Francis A. Davis, of Baltimore.
—Mrs. A. D. Kelly, of Remington, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Tyree, Virginia avenue. Dr. and Mrs. Tyree also have as their guest,

Man to Man Meeting



If a man has a letter of introduction to another man, he mails it. Then it is customary for the recipient to call up the sender and invite him to his home, offer to take him to lunch or do anything else the situation might call for.



their brother, Rev. Richard A. Kelly, of Louisville, Ky.

—R. L. Mitchell, of Tanceville, N. C., was in town Friday.

—Mrs. Arthur Henderson has returned to her home in Raleigh, N. C., after a visit to friends in this city and Chatham.

—Mrs. J. C. Joyce and Mrs. H. L. Hooker, of Stuart, have been spending a few days at Hotel Burton.

—Miss Susie Atkinson, Mrs. Mary Atkinson and Mrs. J. P. Mount, of Chatham, were in Danville Thursday.

—Miss Irene Pierson, of Enfield, N. C., is the guest of Mrs. D. J. Holcomb.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Clement, and some High and Banks, left the city Friday for an automobile tour. They will visit the principal winter resorts of Florida before returning home.

—Miss Ada Loeb, of New York, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herman during the Walterstein-Herman wedding, has returned home.

—Little Julius and Marian Hoffman, children of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoffman, who have been suffering an attack of measles, are rapidly improving.

—Mrs. Charles A. Rine, Sr., continues sick, at her home on South Main street.

—Misses Ruth and Grace Baines the week-end with friends in Greensboro.

—R. L. Pierce, of Salisbury, N. C., spent Thursday in the city on business.

—Mrs. R. Seabury, Miss Elizabeth Gwynn and Rice Gwynn, of this city, are spending some time at Hotel De Soto, Savannah, Ga.

—Mrs. M. Lyles has returned to her home in Spartanburg, S. C., after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crews.

—Miss Charlotte Crews is visiting Miss Katharine Murrell in Lynchburg.

Pageant to Be For Benefit of Chair of Nursing

Proceeds from the pageant, "Signal Fire," which will be presented simultaneously in the leading cities and towns of the State on May 12, by the Foundation Fund Committee of the Graduate Nurses Association of Virginia, will go toward the \$50,000 which the profession has pledged itself to raise for the endowment of a chair of nursing at the University of Virginia. Already contributions and pledges are being received by Miss Agnes D. Randolph, chairman of the committee, who asks that all communications of this kind be directed to her home, 1032 West Grace street, Richmond, and, of course, each gift will be promptly acknowledged.

A pamphlet is about to go to press which will be issued for the purpose of giving the people of Virginia a definite idea of what the proposed chair of nursing at the university means and of asking them to make the project a realization by means of prompt and liberal gifts. More than 30,000 copies of this pamphlet will be distributed, and it is thought that the public will be able to understand that the establishment of the chair of nursing at the University of Virginia not only means that the young women of the profession wishing to take special graduate work to fit them for the many positions now opening in ever-increasing numbers may do so here in the South, but that these young women will stay in the South to help solve its own particular problems.

Under existing conditions, when a nurse goes to one of the northern universities for graduate work, by the time she receives her degree she has become accustomed to her surroundings and is ready to accept a position in that section. Neither salaries are in advance of those tendered her at home. Thus, the South loses a well equipped young woman. It has been noted all too frequently, according to officers of the Virginia association, that if the southern girl who has been trained in the North goes to the South to help solve its own particular problems, she is either so immediately valuable as a worker nor so sure of helping to build up her native State as she has received her higher professional education here at the University of Virginia.

Martinsville has decided to put on the pageant under the direction of the Red Cross, it has just been announced. A number of smaller places are asking for details, declaring they, too, are eager to produce it. May 12, has been selected as the date because it is the birthday of Florence Nightingale, founder of the modern nursing profession, and is now generally recognized as "Hospital Day" throughout America.

Miss Louise Burleigh, former director of the Little Theater League of Richmond, is the author of "Signal Fire," and also is directing the state-wide production. She has just returned from Norfolk and Danville where final arrangements have been made with the local committees on this week-end visit other cities for the same purpose. The pageant traces the history of nursing from the days of Florence Nightingale and the Crimean War, but it stresses the tremendous development in Virginia since Miss Sallie Heath Cabaniss did her far-reaching pioneer work.

Miss Burleigh will visit the various places where the pageant is to be produced at frequent intervals within the next few weeks in order that all well-nigh perfect performances may be given. Request for it have been received from several southern States and even as far west as Arkansas.

NEXT WEEK'S WEATHER.

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Mar. 15.—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday: Middle Atlantic States: Temperature below normal; generally fair; snow and rains first part of the week. South Atlantic and East Gulf States: Temperature below normal; considerable cloudiness; rains Monday and Tuesday.



By JANE BELLONS
Athletic Director, National Board
Y. W. C. A. and Arthur of "Individual Exercises."

Sitting tailor fashion, hands grasping feet, rock backward and sit up.

still holding the feet. Continue, rocking further backward each time until.

This is a good exercise for coordinating the muscles and a strengthening of weak trunk and back muscles.

FASHION NOTES

MOIRE BAGS
Black moire bags with silver frames are appropriate to carry when one wears a tailored suit or frock.

KERCHIEFS MATCH
The newest handkerchiefs to carry with the evening frock are of chiffon that matches the frock in color, edged with gold or silver lace.

LIZARD HANDLE
A smart paragon of crimson silk has a handle of lizard skin colored red to match.

OXFORD GRAY
Oxford gray is becoming a strong competitor of navy blue and the hairline stripe when it comes to the smart tailor.

RUCHES POPULAR
Evening and dinner frocks of crepe or satin have ruffles to be worn about the neck of tulle in the same shade.

ALPACA POPULAR
Alpaca is the smartest material for morning frocks at the present time and it comes in a most interesting range of colors.

FINELY TUCKED
The finely tucked tuxedo blouse is the most fashionable type to be worn with the tuxedo suit. For tailored suits of serge or kasha, a more feminine type with frills or embroidery is permissible.

R. E. Lee Pupils To Give Minstrel At Rison Park

Under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association of Robert E. Lee school, the pupils will present a minstrel show and play at the Rison Park auditorium on Monday night, March 17. One hundred of the best singers will take part. The entertainment is in three parts, the first by the smaller children, the middle by the larger ones and the last by the adults. The first part is a pantomime "My New Hat" a pantomime duet. "His Hopkins and her Beau" fancy toe dance by the diminutive Florence Fore, and other dances and songs. The second part is a melodrama of the old type, excruciatingly funny, overdrawn and portrays the heroine, the hero, the villain, the leading lady and the countess. This play "The Fatal" will be performed by the following, who have given it careful study and practice: The heroine, Margaret Snyder; The hero, Walter Ashworth; The villain, Lady Willard Hughes; The countess, Katie Everett; The villain, J. D. Gwynn.

The third part is in the form of an operatic minstrel revue, with the following end men: Bones, Milton Jefferson; Tambo, Charles Blair; Snob, with old time shuffle. Grey Hurd; Blackball, Ernest Buck; These four have a quartet. The crowd of young misses will be fancifully costumed and the following have solos: Margaret Clark, Margaret Snyder, Sarah Dunham, Bertha Handy, Margie Hurd, Martha Ferguson, Virginia Nunn, Irene Hurd, Martha Gibson, Ruth Russell. Others who appear in the chorus are Lois Hammonck, Katie Everett, Willard Hughes, Lois Poteste, Jewell Shelton, Patsy Steel, Violet Beck, Evelyn Hudson, Helen Adams, Minnie Goldstein, Miss Betty Jessie May Handley and others.

Miss Browder will play the piano and Walter Ashworth, the violin. The show is in aid of the Rison Cafeteria of Robert E. Lee school and a good crowd is expected.

Burton's Record In Patrick Court

(Special to The Bee)
STUART, Va., Mar. 15.—Friends of Commonwealth's Attorney Burton are congratulating him on his record at the recent term of Patrick circuit court during which a conviction was secured in every case tried. In all 24 cases came before the court for jury trial and no one was acquitted. The aggregate of the penalties imposed amounted to 7 years and 2 months the penalties ranging from thirty days to 18 months in the penitentiary. H. L. Hooker assisted Mr. Burton in his prosecutions.

TREATING BIRD

When a bird is sick, a simple home remedy is to give it a few drops of olive oil and then feed it green leaves of cabbage, lettuce or celery tops.

SAVE JUICES

When you broil meat put the meat platter, on which the meat is to be served, directly under the meat and all the juices will be saved. Also it obviates the necessity of washing the dripping pan.

KEEPS SAT OUT

A fourth of a teaspoon of ground ginger added to the doughnut dough will prevent the doughnuts from absorbing too much fat.

REMOVES STING

Kerosene oil applied to a burn will remove the sting very promptly.

WARMS THE MILK

When baking a custard warm the milk before adding the egg and no water will settle in the bottom of the dish.

SCORCHED POTATOES

When boiled potatoes burn, remove the pan from the fire and set a very short time the potatoes may be removed from the scorched pan without sticking and by boiling a few minutes longer in a clean pan the scorched taste will be removed.

PEEL EASILY

Hold tomatoes over the gas flame for a few seconds before you peel them and the skin is easily removed without tearing the vegetable.

KEEPS AIR PURE

Keep a pan box filled with quicklime in the pantry or cellar and the air will be dry and pure.

COLORS COTTONS

The water in which colored cottons are washed should be merely warm, not hot. Soap should not be rubbed on colored cottons. Instead, the material should be washed in strong soda made with warm water and dissolved soap.

HOME PLANS

In planning a home, always try to keep doors and closets so that they break up the space as little as possible.

COTTON CONSUMPTION FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Cotton consumed during February totaled 507,837 bales of lint and 41,693 of linters, compared with 576,644 of lint and 40,681 of linters in January this year and 566,806 of lint and 47,296 of linters in February last year, the census bureau announced today.

Statistics for cotton growing states follow:

Cotton consumed during February totaled 349,759 bales compared with 381,038 in January this year and 368,038 in February last year.

Cotton on hand February 29 was reported as follows:

In consuming establishments 1,578,272 bales of lint and 123,949 of linters compared with 1,633,322 of lint and 120,034 of linters on January 31 this year and 2,020,990 of lint and 157,348 on February 28 last year.

In public storage and at compresses 2,437,009 bales of lint and 87,742 of linters on January 31 this year and 2,808,304 of lint and 43,352 of linters on February 28 last year.

Imports in February totaled 48,601 bales compared with 47,693 in January this year and 65,329 in February last year.

Exports totaled 482,146 bales including 12,275 bales of linters compared with 546,353 including 7,262 of linters in January this year and 359,687 including 4,325 of linters in February last year.

Cotton spindles active during February numbered 32,832,786 compared with 33,339,506 in January this year and 35,304,423 in February last year.

PENNSY EMPLOYEES GET 6.2 PER CENT. INCREASE

(By The Associated Press)

PHILADELPHIA, March 14.—An increase in wages, amounting in the aggregate to 6.2 per cent. over the present wage scale for approximately 32,000 employees in the train service of the Pennsylvania Railroad system was announced tonight by the company. Agreement on the advance was reached at conferences between the management and employee representatives of the conductors, brakemen, baggage men and switch tenders.

USING BLACK AND WHITE

There are endless ways in which variety may be achieved by the combination of black and white. Here is one of the happiest inspirations. It has the graceful, unbroken lines of fashion loves, and also the suggestion of sophistication that the discriminating woman likes.



Are You Taking Risks

? Does the Roof of Your House?

Give You Proper Protection!

Genasco Latite Shingles

Will protect you. They can be applied over old wooden shingles just as easily as over new boards. You will save in insurance enough to pay the cost within two or three years. For further particulars, consult

Jas. I. Pritchett & Son

Craghead Street.

However, —comma

By Maurice Henle.

NEW YORK, March 15.—It now is clear why Israel Zangwill, on his recent trip to this country, criticized things American. He is a "modern." A "modern" is one who ignores customs and conventions and doesn't give a tinker's hoop-la what he or she says or does.

This was apparent when Zangwill brought his new comedy "We Moderns" to the Gaiety Theater the other night.

Young "moderns" are apt to get into trouble, like the young characters in Zangwill's play. Older "moderns" like Zangwill himself, are apt to get into trouble when they talk too much, as he did while over here. There are many who never forgive him for that, and a few of the criticisms of the play printed in this city showed this personal antagonism.

It is wholly undeserved. No matter what our opinion of Mr. Zangwill's talkative nature, we must acknowledge a brilliantly witty play. With the exception of the third act, which is somewhat drawn out, "We Moderns" is a running barrage of humor which keeps one smiling, if not chuckling, continuously.

The clash between the older and newer generations is the basis for Zangwill's comedy, and what with the youngsters' idea of "complexes," "free love" and "psychoanalysis," he has sufficient material to work on.

Zangwill is materially aided by an exceptional cast, headed by Helen Hayes, a youthful master of stage technique, and O. P. Heggie, a veteran actor.

In Zangwill's only reference to Americans, he calls this people generous and kind, which makes us wonder if his recent words on "leave-taking" were uttered for their publicity effect. He unquestionably feels Americans are the essence of kindness and generosity, and before his play finishes running, he will be sure of it.

The only thing that could kill "We Moderns" is its brilliance. It is written over the heads of the average audience.

We went to see "A Society Scandal," convinced that its star, Gloria Swanson, would measure up to usual standard and thus not require much critical scrutiny. But we did want to see Thelma Morgan, known in New York society as Mrs. Morgan Converse. It was announced she had a part in the picture.

We can recall several fleeting glimpses of the young woman, each of at least several seconds' duration. One glimpse was even long enough to give us the impression of a young and badly frightened novice on the professional screen. Just as we were about to settle ourselves comfortably and watch her work carefully, zingo! she would disappear. Maybe we'll have better luck next time.

Miss Swanson is back with good-looking clothes, and pursuers after the latest fashions will get valuable pointers from her many changes. "A Society Scandal," because of Gloria and her relatives, will be a financial success, but if it wishes to exist long on its dramatic merits, will have to undergo a monkey-gland operation as soon as it finds old age creeping close.

YOUR GARDEN

ARTICLE NO. 11.



BACKYARD BEAUTIES

No flower garden should be without sweet peas and zinnias. They give wonderful results, especially to the beginner.

For the small sum of about 15 cents invested in seeds, a generous display of blooms from these two varieties can be obtained to last through practically all the summer.

You can get a giant species of zinnia measuring from 4 to 6 inches across each blossom and insure a prolific flower bed.

Sweet peas should be planted early. They grow even in shade and bloom over an indefinite period if the blossoms are gathered frequently to prevent the plants going to seed.

Marigolds and poppies are quite hardy plants. Sow them early, too, and at least a foot apart to get the best color and quantity.

Poppies, especially, thrive, best when sown on still frozen ground.

The dahlia, too, is another popular flower for home growing. But it must be watered well and often. Generally speaking, dahlias will grow wherever tomatoes succeed.

They are easily propagated from either seed or roots. The amateur, though, will probably find culture from the root most successful.

Soil for raising dahlias should approximate what is commonly regarded as good garden soil—rich in plant life and of light and crumbly texture. Time for sowing or planting is usually after all danger from frost is past.

Other appropriate flowers for the garden might well include foxglove, cosmos, Canterbury bells, verbenas, Shasta daisies, asters, marigolds, four o'clocks, pansies, nasturtiums and forget-me-nots.

In planting verbenas, sow the seeds at least a month before the ground stops freezing at night, starting them in a moderately warm living room or hotbed.

Soak the seeds a few hours in tepid water and plant them in seed boxes filled with light rich soil. Cover one-fourth of an inch deep. Compress the earth firmly and water sparingly.

When the verbenas seedlings are about an inch high transplant them to larger boxes and place the plants at least two inches apart.

You can set them outside in your garden when all danger of frost

gone. Give them 10 to 15 inch each way in rows and spread. Provide good cultivation until the plant starts covering ground.

Under such treatment your verbenas patch should bloom from early summer until killed by frost.

Petunias should command the attention of the amateur gardener because of the ease with which they can be grown from seed.

They come into bloom early and remain until killed by frost. Sow seeds of all sorts in seedbox, hotbed or coldframe and transplant to your garden when danger from frost is past.

When growing the petunia indoors preparatory to transplanting, scatter the seeds over the surface of the soil and bring them in contact with it by firming (that is pressing with a flat board placed on top the rows).

Never cover petunia seeds.

When the plants are sufficiently strong to be taken into the outdoors, place them in rich garden loam, about a foot apart. The time to do this is when danger from frost is past.

NEGRO BADLY STABBED BY ANOTHER, WHO FLEES

A serious cutting affray in which

negroes participated as victim and assailant occurred near the corner of Union and Spring streets about 8 p. m. yesterday and caused considerable excitement in the vicinity.

Frank Kean, a one-legged negro well known to the police, was stabbed by Moses Willis, a negro ex-convict, the wound inflicted being in the left side and extending as deep as the lung it is said. Willis, the assailant fled in the excitement, and is being sought by the police. No information as to the origin of the quarrel which culminated in the murderous assault was available last night. Kean being in a serious condition at the Providence hospital, while Willis is doubtless "counting the ties" or riding a freight in an effort to get out of the state and submerge his identity. Willis was recently released from the penitentiary.

Kean, the wounded man, is well known to the police. He has recently been operating a small restaurant on Linn street, a short distance southeast of Loyall. Information from the hospital was that he was resting quietly last night.

HER NOSE RUINED. MRS. SYD CHAPLIN SUES PHYSICIAN

(By Chicago Tribune Service.)

LOS ANGELES, March 14.—Mrs. Minnie Chaplin, wife of the movie comedian, Sydney Chaplin and sister-in-law of Charles Chaplin, today filed suit for \$100,000 against Dr. Robert Griffith, a Rhinologist, charging he ruined her nose. Mrs. Chaplin complains that Dr. Griffith "through his carelessness and neglect" emphasized the dip at the tip of her nose and permanently deformed it. She declares that the physician removed flesh around the bridge and the top of the nose, unnecessarily and that in consequence the organ became indented, the tip dropped, and the original dip was enlarged. Dr. Griffith had no comment to make except that he would fight the suit.

U. S. AND CANADA HAVE AGREED ON PLAN FOR WATERWAYS PROJECT

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Agreement between the United States and the Canadian government has been reached under which they will create "national" commissions to co-operate with the joint engineering board in planning the proposed St. Lawrence-Great Lakes deeper waterways project.

The American commission named tonight by President Coolidge, will be headed by Secretary Hoover and includes William C. Breed, former president of the New York Merchants' Association, James E. Davidson, of Bay City, Michigan; James P. Goodrich, former governor of Indiana; James E. Howard, of Chicago, former president of the American Bureau Federation; James D. Noonan, of the American Federation of Labor, and an additional member to be chosen from the commercial community of the New England states.

600 Punctures But Still Full of Air

A new puncture proof inner tube has been introduced in Chicago which has been punctured 600 times without the loss of any air. Motorists can increase their tire mileage over 12,000 miles by using this tube without removing it from the wheel. It costs no more than the ordinary tube. If you are interested you can write Mr. O. Gates at 9 West Illinois Street, Chicago, for full information as he wants these tubes introduced everywhere. Wonderful opportunity for agents. Simply send name, a post card will do.—adv.

DAVIS



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Dwight F. Davis of St. Louis, now assistant secretary of war, is being prominently mentioned in the cabinet situation.

CONDITION OF THE ILL

The condition of Dr. S. E. Hughes, a widely known physician and specialist who has been seriously ill at his residence, was reported yesterday as showing satisfactory, albeit rather slow, progress toward complete recovery. He is believed to have been suffering from a virulently pathogenic species of infection chiefly affecting his throat. It is now believed that the poison with which his system had become permeated by the bacteria has been eliminated and that he is now a sufferer from general debility resulting from his illness and the strain on his constitution.

The condition of Ballard Keen, who is under treatment at Edmunds' hospital resulting from the development of an effusion of blood upon the brain was said not to have been so satisfactory yesterday as on Thursday. His friends are hopeful, however, of further improvement and ultimate recovery.

COL. DRAKE LEAVES FOR TEXAS AFTER VISIT HERE

Colonel Francis E. Drake, of Paris, France, who has been the guest of his step-daughter, Mrs. Ivor O'Connor, and of Mrs. T. A. Weller of this city, recently left yesterday for Texas. Colonel Drake, who was on the staff of General Foch during the marshal's visit to this country, is

past departmental commander of the American Legion in France and is now in this country on official business. It is understood.

French farmers whose families have cultivated the soil for more than 300 years are to receive a new decoration, the croix de chevalier.

Trustees' Sale Of Valuable N. Main St. House and Lot

The undersigned Trustees will on

Tuesday, March 18, 1924

At

3 O'CLOCK P. M.

Sell at public auction, on the premises, that certain house and lot designated as No. 1223 North Main Street. This property fronts one hundred (100) feet on North Main Street, and runs back to Abbott Street, on which it fronts fifty-five (55) feet.

TERMS: CASH.
HENRY C. LEIGH,
D. P. WITHERS,
Trustees.

\$25 In Gold For A Slogan

We are offering \$25 for the best slogan turned in at our office or mailed to us by March 22nd., which we can use for the "Danusca Selected Car." Read the story of this car on Page 9 and watch our ads in papers all this week. The slogan must tell the story of the "Danusca Selected Car" and tell why it is different from just an ordinary Used Car. It must not be over 15 words. The winner will be announced in this paper Saturday, March 22nd and the \$25 in gold will be given that day. The following well known Danville men will act as judges:

S. J. Campbell
Druggist

W. B. Smith
Editor Danville News

W. R. Harrison
Cash. Amer. Nat'l Bank

Mail Slogan to Danville Used Car Exchange

542 Craghead Street.

(Same Building with Wilson-Meade Motor Co.)
For Further Information. Phone 106.



"Even better than my former Essex" And Costs \$170 Less

Advantages of both Hudson and the former Essex are combined in the new Essex Coach.

And with finer body and a 6-cylinder motor, built on Hudson patents, its cost is \$170 less than Essex closed car comforts ever sold for.

It continues the famous Essex qualities of performance, economy and reliability.

Steering is like guiding a bicycle. Gears shift easily. Care of the car calls for little more than keeping it lubricated.

Its economy includes not only exceptional gas, oil and tire mileage, but a policy of minimum maintenance cost with parts prices that will astonish you.

ESSEX COACH \$975

Touring Model 5250—Freight and tax extra

WYATT - PAYNE MOTOR CO.



SALE!

We Must Unload

We Must Reduce Stock

After moving into our new store we find that our room is too crowded and the new Spring Goods which have arrived and are yet to come demands more room and we must have room and in order to reduce our stock.

TODAY and MONDAY

We Offer Everything in Our Stock Including Suits, Overcoats, Hats, and Furnishings at Practically Cost Prices

This is a wonderful opportunity to save money on your Suit, Overcoat, Hat or other Furnishings, as these prices are made to move the goods in order to make room. Come early and get your own selection; the price is right.

Now is the Time to Save

Now is the Time to Buy

Don't forget that we have some of the best Suits made in our stock. Come and get yours today while the price is right.

E. G. ANDERSON Co.

424 Main Street

Night Drivers Find Relief

By ISRAEL KLEIN
NEA Service Writer

A new type of headlight that may approach the specifications of State highway boards closer than any heretofore produced, is a bullet-shaped lamp just put on the market.

According to its manufacturers, the lamp has been designed for two main purposes:

1. To enable the driver to see obstacles far enough ahead and to the side, so the car may be brought to a full stop before reaching them, even while going at a fast speed.

2. To prevent dazzling. A year's experimentation in a laboratory especially built for the purpose has resulted in the acceptance of this unique lamp. The greatest change from the regular style of headlamp is the elliptical, or egg-shaped reflector, with a lens of less than four inches diameter.

Inside, at the focal point of the lens, is a color filter. The lamp is designed so that, with the aid of this color filter, a bright light is thrown out, down and sideways and an amber glow covers an area above the height of the lens.

This amber light is sufficient to penetrate fog, yet it does not disconcert pedestrians and motorists approaching the light.

Producers of this lamp say it conforms to the standards of illumination formulated by the Society of Automotive Engineers and the Illuminating Engineering Society. Then eastern States have adopted these standards.

RED, GREEN, YELLOW

Uniform signals using the primary colors, red, green and yellow, are recommended for traffic control by the special American Engineering Standards Committee, which has been studying the traffic problem.

POPULARITY OF BUSES

In the four years preceding the late war, passengers carried by London buses increased by 136 per cent., as against an increase of 18.7 per cent. for the electric tramways.

MORE MOTOR RIDERS

In 1910, New York motor buses carried 8,500,000 passengers. Eleven years later the buses had risen by 710 per cent. in popularity, when they carried 51,000,000 passengers.

ELEVATED ROADS? YES—BUT!

The idea for a double or triple-decked highway system to relieve the traffic situation in New York has gained wide popularity due to its ingenuity. But listen to the opinion of perhaps the greatest traffic expert in the country, Dr. John A. Harris, deputy police commissioner in charge of traffic in New York:

"The picture of New York's streets ranged in three levels is very interesting. I am afraid that it presents certain mechanical difficulties. First, the height of the second stories differ widely in the buildings throughout the congested area. If we elevate the sidewalk it cannot fit into the scheme of all buildings. Some of the buildings would have only half a story above the new sidewalk, which will be waste space.

"To rebuild the streets in this region to conform to such a sidewalk would involve the expenditure of millions of dollars. Then again, if we attempt to run an arcade through these buildings back of the building line we must cut into the structure the width of the present sidewalk. Since the designs of the buildings vary widely

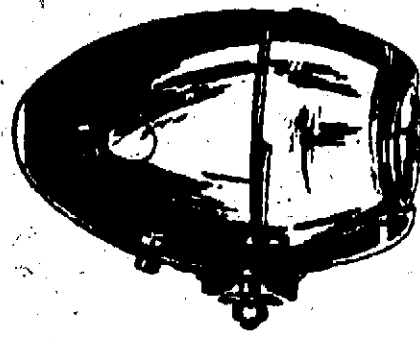


DIAGRAM SHOWING CONSTRUCTION OF NEW HEADLIGHT.

all sorts of difficulties would be encountered."

BETTER GASOLINE

Gasoline bought today is 20 per cent. better than that bought heretofore, according to tests made by the U. S. Bureau of Mines. It is due to greater skill and improved mechanical

appliances in refining, say the experts.

PROPER BUMPER

Unless the bumper on your car is of the proper material and properly heat-treated, you may as well go without one. It has been found that, if the bumper is too rigid, a collision may break the frame of the car. And if it's too frail, much damage may result.

PLEASANTS GETS \$7,500 DAMAGES

(By the Associated Press.)

STAUNTON, VA., March 14.—A judgment for \$7,500 was returned by a jury in circuit court here late today in favor of Harvey J. Pleasants, administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Annie M. Pleasants. The Norfolk and Western railroad was defendant in the suit which asked \$19,000 in damages for the death of Mrs. Pleasants on a railroad crossing at Basic August 23 last.

Judge Henry W. Holt denied the defense's motion for a new trial. Four other suits, aggregating \$23,000 as a result of the same accident, are pending. Mrs. Pleasants and one of her sons were killed and two other sons injured when a Norfolk and Western train struck the automobile in which they were riding.



THE owner of the V-63 Five passenger Sedan travels in an atmosphere of richness and refinement.

To the speed and power of its harmonized engine is added the safety of Cadillac four wheel brakes—and these qualities, combined with instant acceleration and exceptional ease of control, inspire the one who drives with a sense of complete road-mastery.

V-63

WYATT-PAYNE MOTOR CO.
122 SOUTH UNION STREET.

CADILLAC



No More Excuses! You Can Own a Car Now!

FOR AS LITTLE AS

\$5

YOU CAN DRIVE



FOR AS LITTLE AS

\$5

YOU CAN RIDE

Come and Select a Car. Pay For It While Riding

We are Making It So Easy to Get a Car That You Will Be Doing Yourself An Injustice By Not Getting One

HERE'S OUR PLAN

SALE
IS
ON

Price of Car or Truck	Cash Paym't on Del'y	Weekly Payment
Up to \$100.00	\$ 5.00	\$5.00
" " \$150.00	25.00	5.00
" " \$200.00	35.00	5.00
" " \$300.00	50.00	5.00
" " \$350.00	75.00	5.00
" " \$450.00	75.00	7.50

SALE
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WEEK
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BUICKS, CHEVROLETS, FORDS, STUDEBAKERS, DODGES,
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OPEN EVENINGS

Anderson Motor Company

Danville, Va.

Gilroy Sales - Clearance
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First Presbyterian Church, Danville, Virginia

\$37,500.00 IN SIXTY MINUTES

As a man prospers so does his responsibility to his fellowman increase. As a church grows so does its responsibility to spread Christianity Increase.

BUDGET FOR YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1924.

Local Church Expenses	\$15,000.00
Foreign Missions	7,200.00
Assembly's Home Missions	1,200.00
Christian Education and Ministerial Relief	1,200.00
Publication and S. S. Expenses	200.00
Assembly's Training School	240.00
Bible Cause	120.00
Lynchburg Orphanage	600.00
Hampden-Sidney College	240.00
Union Seminary	240.00
Central Academy	3,000.00
Pres. Home Missions	900.00
Danville Military Institute	1,800.00
Sunnyside Home	460.00
College Avenue Chapel	900.00
Synod's Home Missions	1,200.00
Contingent Fund	3,000.00
TOTAL	\$37,500.00

The Committees having this matter in charge will call on every member of our church tomorrow, Sunday afternoon, March 16th.
WONT YOU PLEASE MAKE IT A POINT TO BE AT HOME WHEN THEY CALL.

TOM SIMS NEWS PAPER

VOL. 1.—NO. 56. MARCH 15, 1924. PRICE: 1 CENT

HERE'S SINGING LESSONS

SPORTS

Baseball recruits are being quoted at reduced prices this year. This is due to the law of supply and demand, which has not yet been repealed. Getting paid for playing around is more attractive to the farmer boy than plowing through life.

AUTO HELPS

Just as the horse trader bragged about his steed, the auto seller brags about the speed. And they once looked at a horse's teeth to tell its age. Look well at a used car's gear teeth.

GARDEN HINTS

Before planting a garden break the ground carefully and blindfold all the neighbors' chickens. If the garden is planted in a low damp place you will find more fishing worms.

FINANCIAL

By wearing two pairs of old socks at the same time you may hide the holes in both pair.

MARKETS

A grocer is a man who wonders why people won't pay their bills.

BEDTIME STORY

"And didn't you promise me you would be back by 10 o'clock?"

SCHOOL NEWS

No wonder teachers are so smart. Look at the questions they ask.

ADVERTISING

You can be a politician. We teach you at night. This is the best time to learn to be a politician. Thorough courses given in issue dodging, meeting crises, viewing with alarm, pointing with pride, and special instruction in watching war clouds loom.

EDITORIAL

Mr. Mellon, secretary of the treasury, suggests a surtax on big incomes of 25 per cent. This reminds us, never throw away an old suit of clothes. Save it to wear while eating mellons this summer.

ANOTHER WORLD ROMANCE ENDS

(By Chicago Tribune Service)
PARIS, March 14.—Another international romance ended today when Loranda Batcheller of Chicago filed a suit for divorce against Colonel Roger Piccio, minister of aviation in the Mussolini cabinet. The charges are extreme cruelty. She demands custody of their child. The mother of the bride, Mrs. Julia Batcheller, wife of the former president of the Joyce Lumber Company, recently returned from the United States.

PLOTTERS ARRESTED

(By The Associated Press.)
MUNICH, March 14.—Four men have been arrested on a charge of plotting to assassinate Dr. Von Kahr, former Bavarian military dictator. They will be placed on trial within a week.

Man of Note Will Help Your Spring Song.

What makes the wild flowers wild? Is it because they stay out all night? This writer thinks they are wild to sing.

Spring, beautiful spring, it is the restless season. Flowers get tired standing around all day acting beautiful.

And spring makes the flower of American manhood and womanhood want to be wild. The cure is singing.

Very fortunate indeed is Tom Sims Newspaper. Its editor knows all about singing. He studied singing to worry the neighbors. You can profit by his daily "Music Notes."

Today's "Music Note" is: Wear tight shoes all day. Taking them off at night will give you something to sing about.

BROTHER TOM'S KITCHEN

Ink may be used for restaurant coffee if you have no dishwasher.

WEATHER

It will be fall in Australia soon. They expect a hard winter there this summer.

BEAUTY SECRETS

A coat of shellac over the rouge keeps it from the coat of a shell.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Whatsername's husband says she will pay a fortune for a piece of antique furniture and then give away, as worthless, some of her clothes not half as antique. Sadie Glublub really lost two pounds.

HEALTH HINTS

Never jump off a tall building or forget your income tax.

HOME HELPS

Punch holes in the top of a used derby to make a soup strainer.

MOVIE NOTES

A movie audience to a newcomer consists mostly of feet.

FOX BEGINS SENTENCE

(By The Associated Press.)
ATLANTA, GA., March 14.—Philip E. Fox, former publicity director for the Ku Klux Klan, and convicted slayer of W. S. Cohn, last September, left Atlanta for the state farm at Milledgeville, Georgia, today, to begin serving a life sentence.

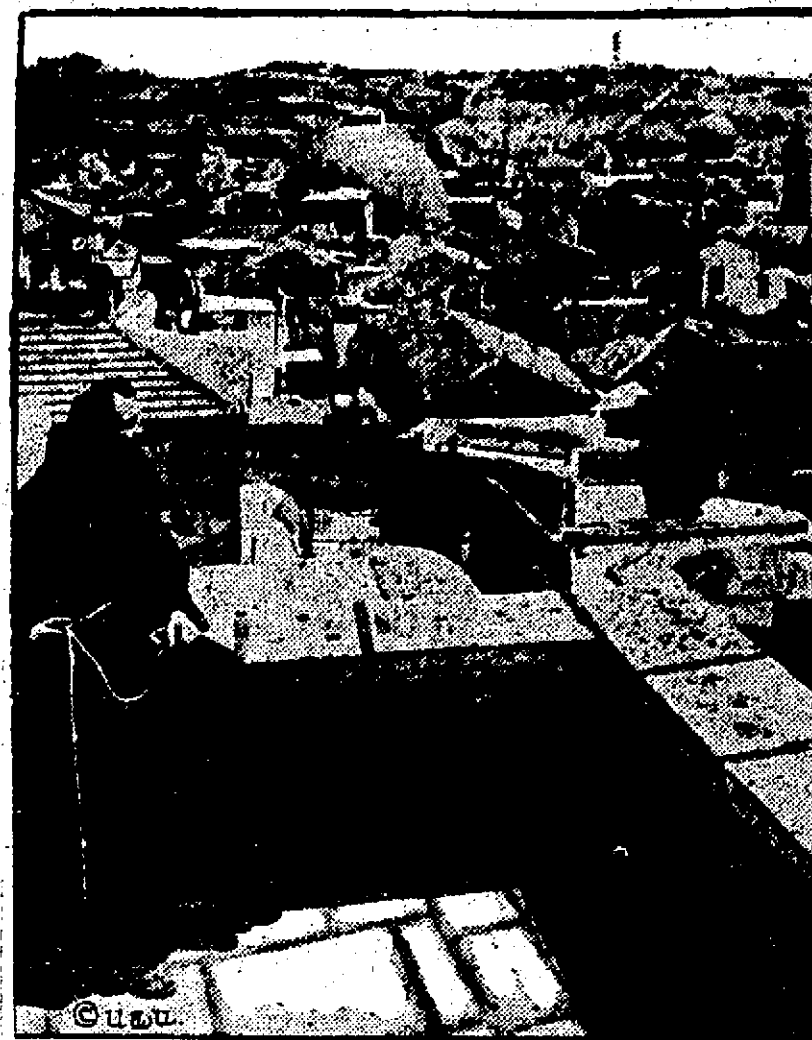
The motion for a new trial filed by attorneys for Fox was dismissed yesterday by Judge G. H. Howard in Fulton superior court at their own request.

Captain Cohn was an attorney for the W. J. Simmons faction of the Klan.

GETS VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

(By The Associated Press.)
PARIS, March 14.—The Senate tonight gave a vote of confidence to Premier Poincare on the question of granting the government authority to issue decrees. The vote was 154 to 141.

Lent in the Holy Land



Mount of Olives, from Jerusalem. Over this hill, east of the city, Christ rode in triumph into the Holy City. He crossed it daily while staying at Bethany. It was here he preached his Sermon on the Mount, and wept for Jerusalem. In Gethsemane Garden, on its south side, he was betrayed by Judas.

Overnight Features

By The Associated Press.

French Senate by confidence vote of 154 to 141 grants Poincare government authority to effect economy measures by decree.

Senate committee hears more sensational charges against Attorney General Daugherty when Gaston B. Means, former investigator of the Department of Justice testifies.

Attorney General Daugherty in detailed statement denies insinuations made against him by Senate committee.

German Parliamentary elections are set for May 4, President Ebert announces.

House passes deficiency appropriation bill carrying \$155,000,000 including \$105,467,000 for refund of taxes illegally collected.

Council of League of Nations at Geneva settles mass of pending disputes, including settlement of Memel controversy.

Legal proceedings to free Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White, are instituted in Philadelphia court by granting of petition for jury trial to determine Thaw's mental condition.

Dr. Samuel L. Hamilton, dismissed metropolitan superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of New York, charges league voted William A. Anderson large gift out of money subscribed for prohibition work, when league workers salaries were in arrears.

Sensational winning streak of Paul Berenbach, New York middleweight, is broken by his defeat in fourth round at New York by Jack Delaney, of Bridgeport, Conn.

John M. Mack, automobile manufacturer and inventor, was killed near Neffs, Penna., when train struck his automobile.

Georgian court, Palatial New Jersey country home of the late George J. Gould, is sold to Catholic Girls School.

HEADS BISHOPS



Rt. Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, bishop of the diocese of Bethlehem, Pa., is the new presiding bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church. He succeeds the late Rt. Rev. Alexander C. Garrett of Dallas, Tex. He has been a bishop since 1887.

Prostrate Trouble Stopped Over Night

If you suffer from painful urination, get up frequently during the night, have that awful dull ache and burning sensation, you are no doubt a victim of dangerous prostate and bladder troubles. To prove that you can stop them quickly and easily with the new, pleasant Hexol Treatment, I will send you a full size \$1.00 bottle, postpaid and free of charge or obligation, if it gives you the prompt relief and freedom you have long sought, tell your friends and pay me only one dollar; otherwise, the loss is mine. Merely send your name today for this special introductory offer—good only for ten days. **MARYA PHARMACAL CO.** 4733 Coca Cola Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.—adv.

JUNE INSTALLMENT OF INCOME TAX IS SURE OF BEING CUT

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Enactment of the provision in revenue bill for a 25 per cent. cut in income taxes payable this year before second installments are due June 15, regardless of the fate of the measure itself, appeared assured tonight.

Senator Harrison, Democrat, Mississippi, today predicted passage of the provision as a separate resolution, "whether the revenue bill becomes a law or not." Joining House leaders who recently announced they would seek adoption of a separate resolution providing for the cut if the revenue bill were delayed.

Meanwhile the revenue measure was sidetracked by the Senate finance committee while inquiries were continued into the condition of the treasury preparatory to revision of the rate

schedules adopted by the House.

The committee will not meet tomorrow, Chairman Smoot announced and actual work on the rate schedules cannot be started, he said, before late next week, pending conclusion of the hearing of treasury officials.

Mr. Smoot declared, however, that if further delays were encountered night meetings of the committee would be called in an effort to get the measure before the Senate.

Senator Harrison, in endorsing the proposed cut in taxes payable this year, criticized President Coolidge's message asking immediate action on the proposal as a "political move" asserting the president "knew this action could not be taken in the time left before first installments are due."

PLANES NAMED FOR CITIES

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The four army airplanes selected to make the around the world flight were named today by Major General Patrick, chief of the army air service, after the cities of Chicago, Boston, Seattle and New Orleans.

DEFICIENCY BILL PASSED BY HOUSE LATE YEST'DAY

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 14.—A deficiency appropriation bill carrying approximately \$155,000,000 was passed late today by the House. Only 21 members were on the floor when the measure was sent on its way to the Senate by a viva voce vote.

Items in the bill include \$105,467,000 for refund of taxes illegally collected; \$13,820,000 for additional use against run runners and \$5,000,000 for hospital facilities for former service men, completing the authorization in the Langley bill.

Among the other items were \$226,000 for improvements at the Ellis Island immigration station.

CAMDEN, S. C., March 14.—Fort Bragg defeated Fort Benning 9 to 6 here today in the opening round of the Southern Circuit Cup Polo tournament. Fort Bragg received a handicap of five goals.

10 daring tests of Oakland's Duco Body-finish

See These Tests

Muriatic Acid—It does not harm Oakland's new finish.

Sulphuric Acid—A finish that stands this test will stand the hardest usage.

Fire—Even a flame cannot harm Oakland's finish.

Ammonia—The strongest ammonia is used in this test.

Fire Extinguisher—It kills fires but not the brightness of Oakland's finish.

Lime Cement—This test proves that it's hard to harm Duco finish.

Hot Tar—See how easy it is to clean road tar from Duco.

Boiling Water—It is fine to know that the finish will stand this test.

Mud—See a muddy car cleaned with a dry cloth without harm to its finish!

Dust—With Duco you can easily dust your car as often as you please.

Every day and evening, beginning March 17th and ending March 22, we will put on a most unusual demonstration at our show room. The beautiful new Duco body finish of the True Blue Oakland will be tested and its remarkable qualities proved right before your eyes.

After seeing these tests, listed at the left, you will realize what a wonderful advance Oakland has made in bringing out this new finish.

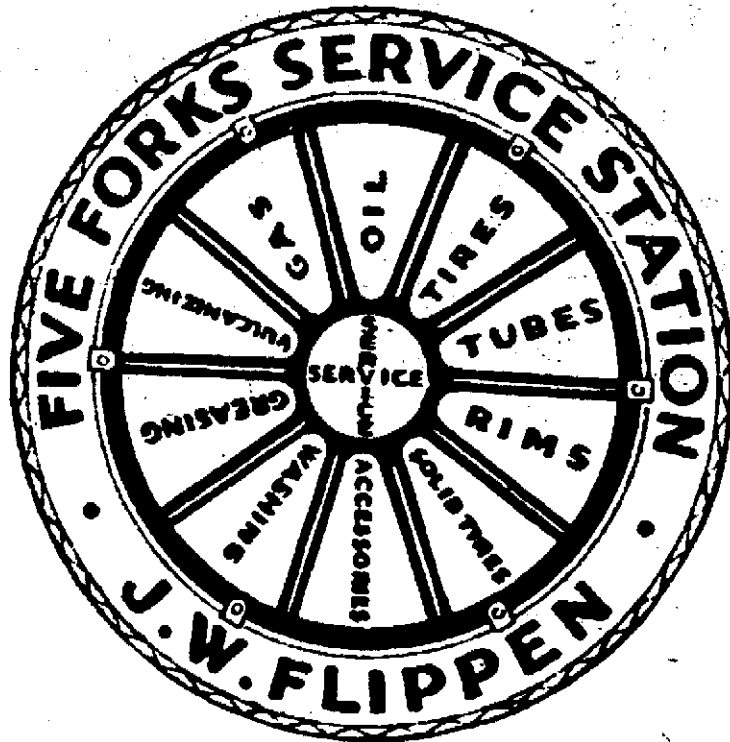
Come—Bring the Family See These Tests

Examine, too, the many other advanced features of the 1924 Oakland, the desirability of which can also be demonstrated just as conclusively.

Every Day and Evening
March 17th to 22nd

REYNOLDS-MEADOR
SERVICE CO.

WEST MAIN ST.—PHONE 1772



Special Sale On Used

Fords

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Also One Chevrolet 4-Pass.
One Chevrolet Delivery

Gardner Motor Co.

Patton at Bridge.

IMPORTANT MEETING

—Of—

Cotton Growers and Others Interested In the Growing of Cotton

A Special Meeting of Interest to Farmers Will Be Held

TUESDAY, MARCH 18th

At 11:30 O'clock In the Auditorium
of the Masonic Temple Building

All farmers, business men and others interested in the growing of Cotton are requested to be present to hear addresses by

Mr. T. B. Hutchison, Of Blackstone Institute

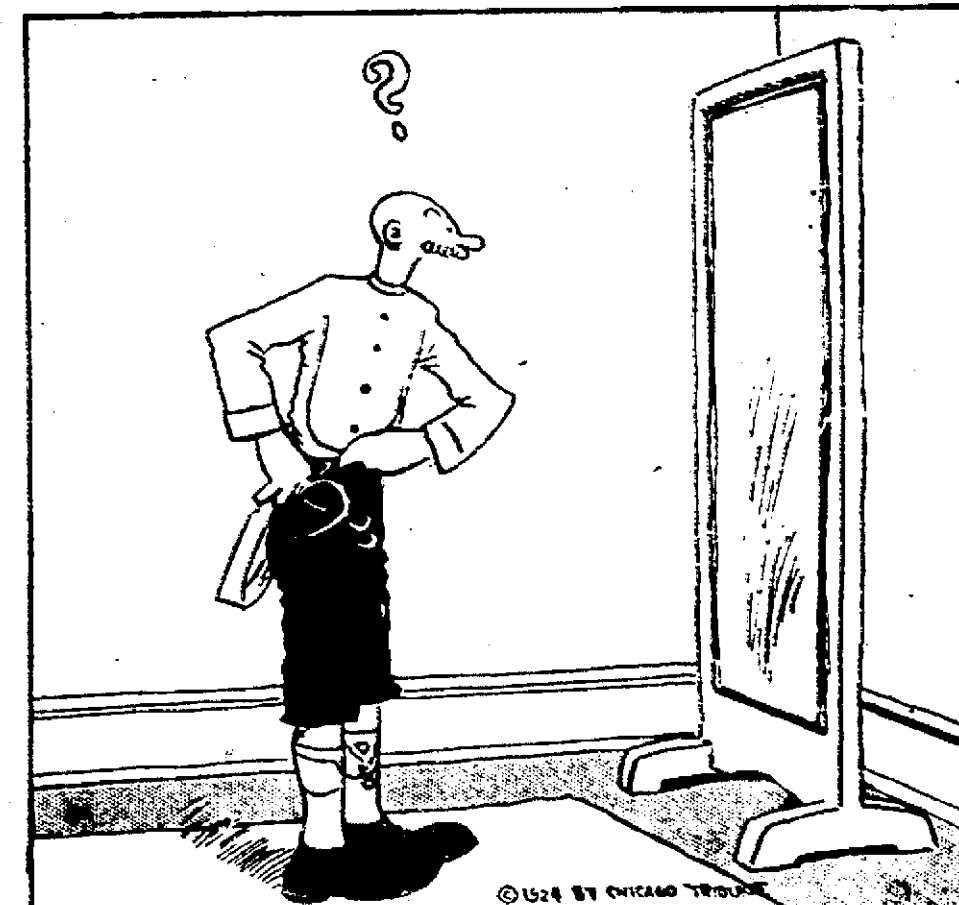
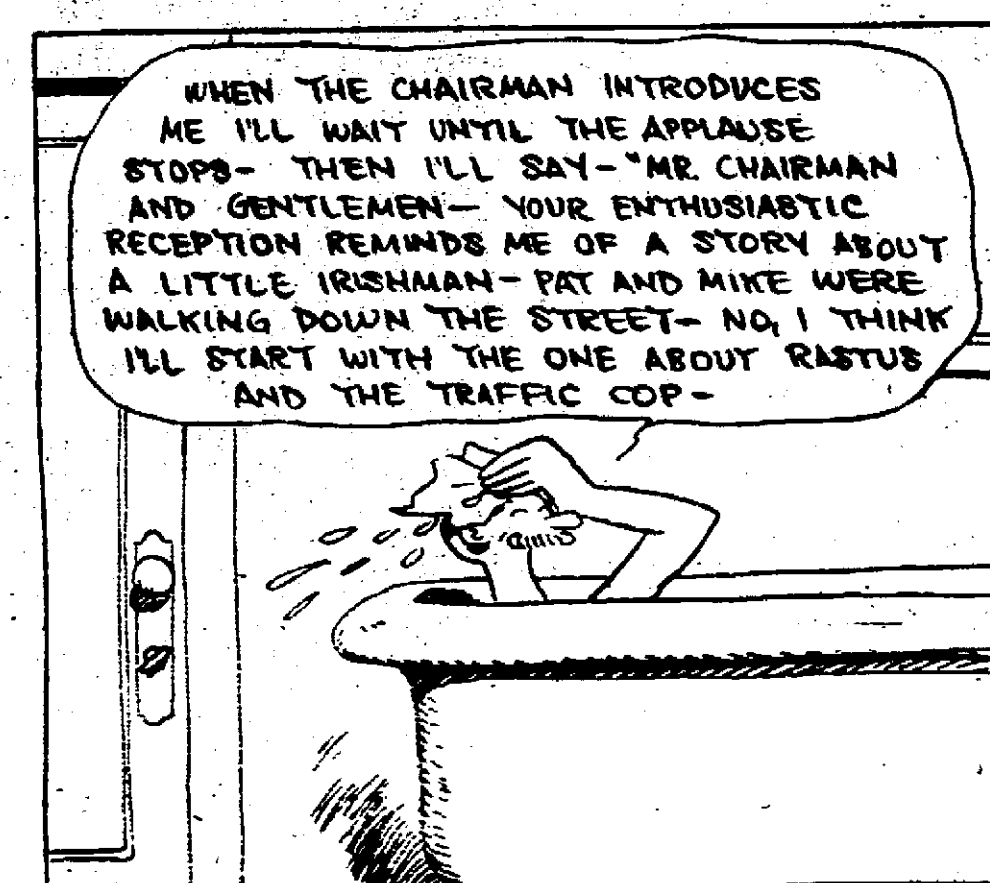
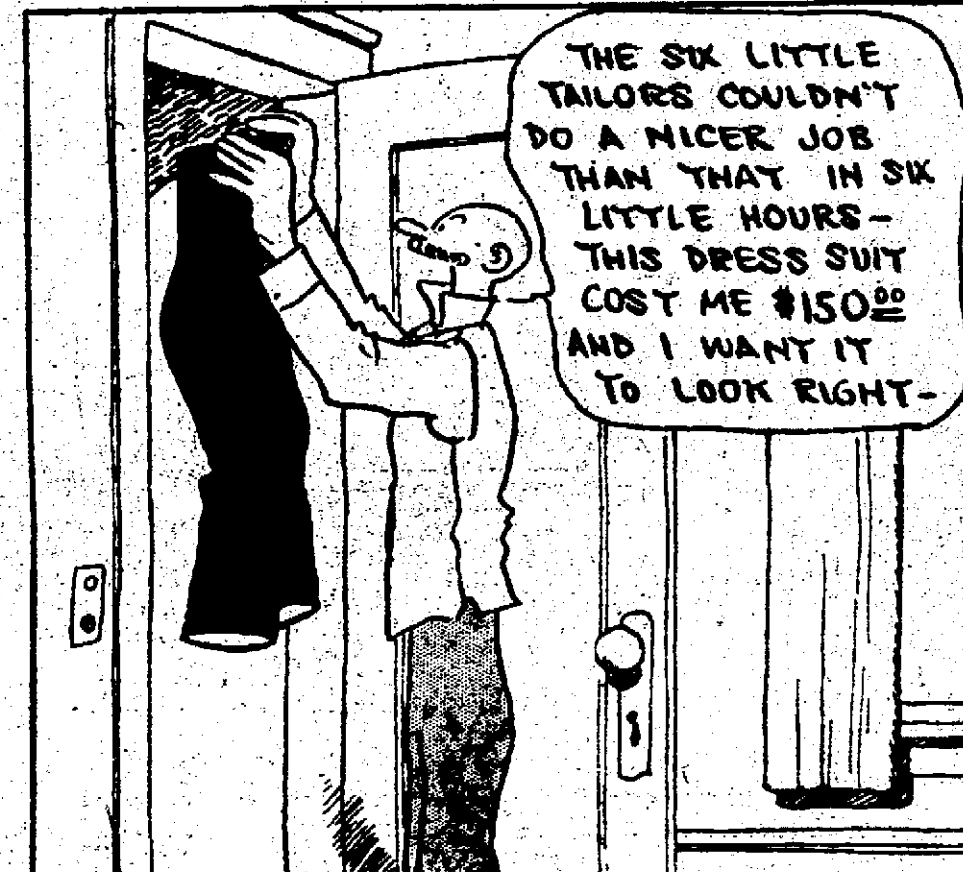
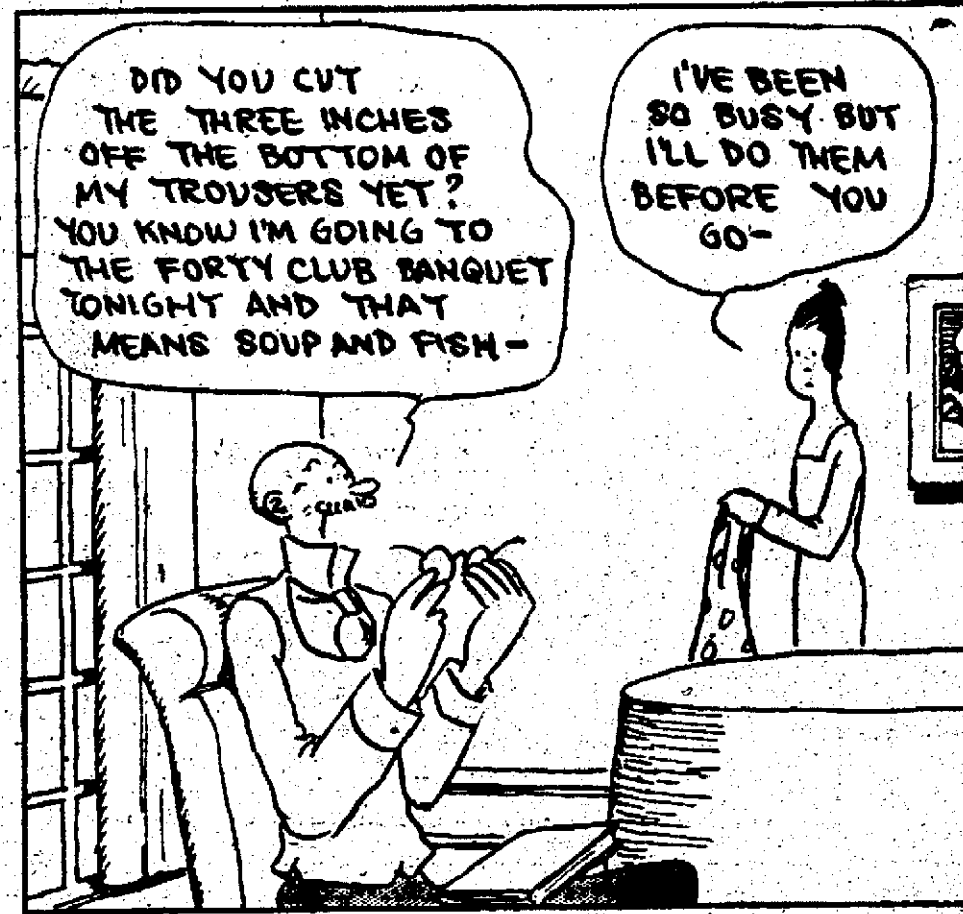
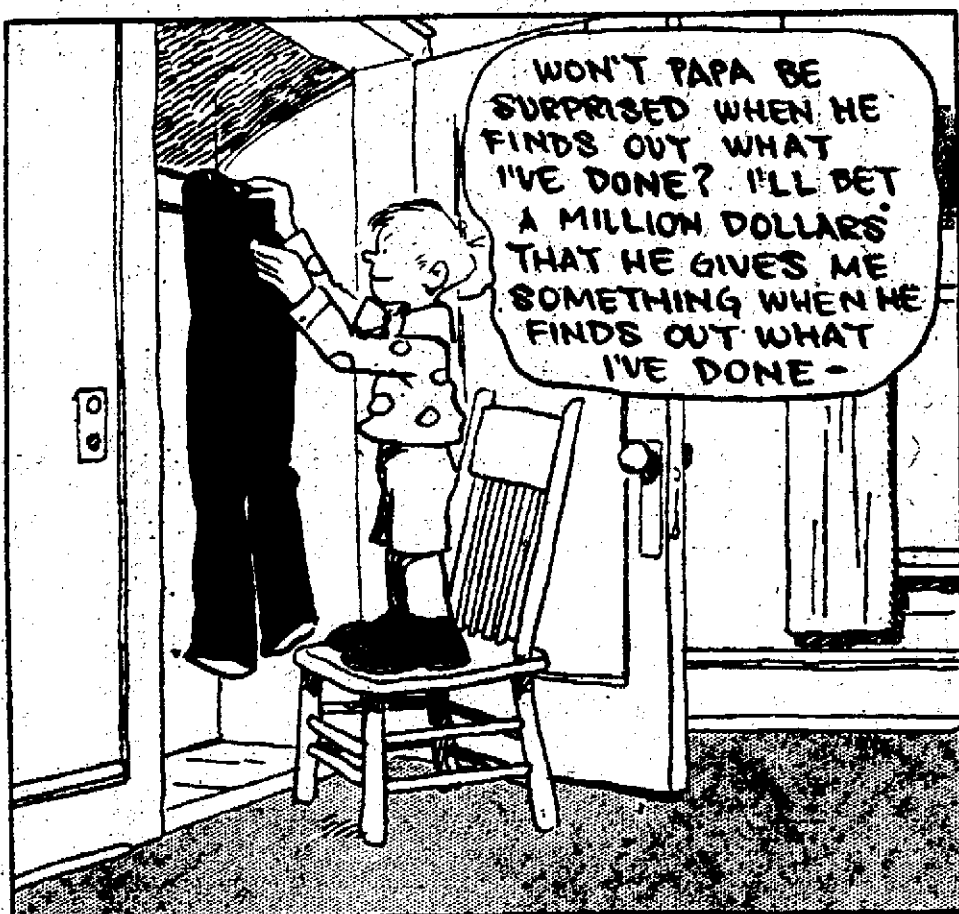
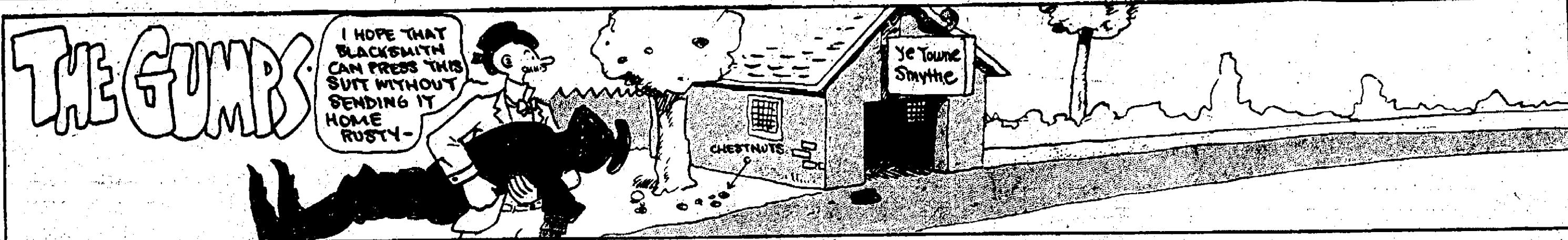
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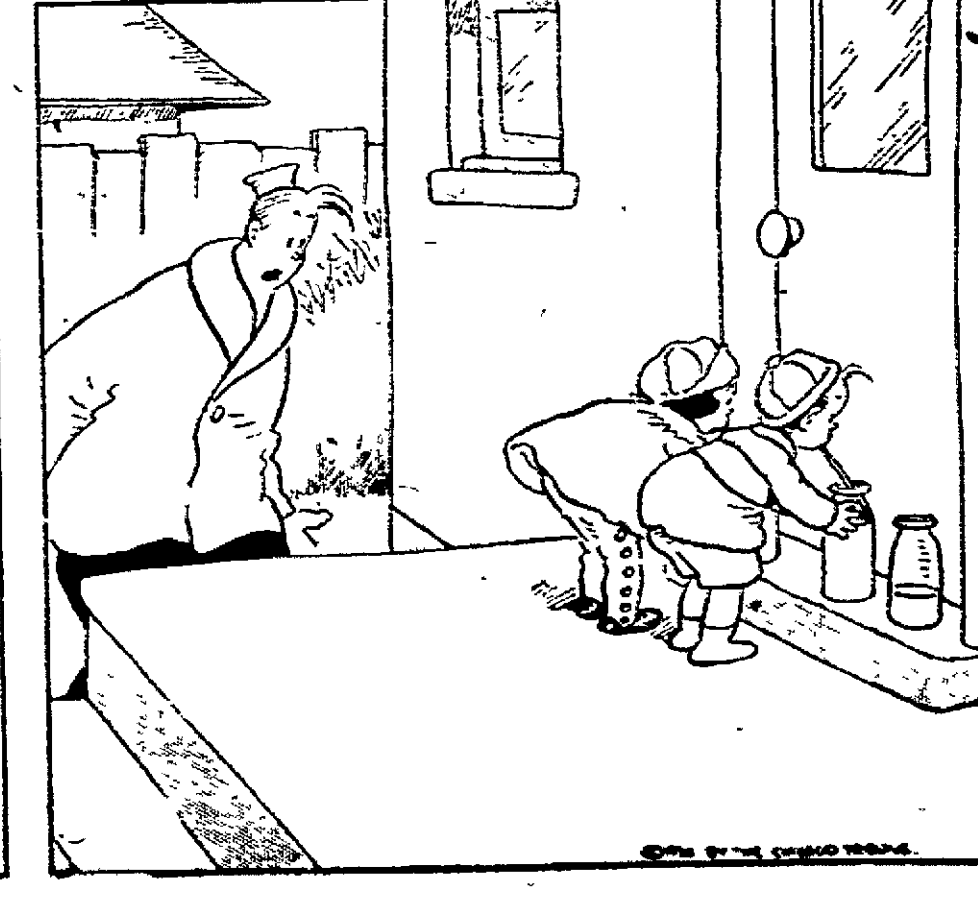
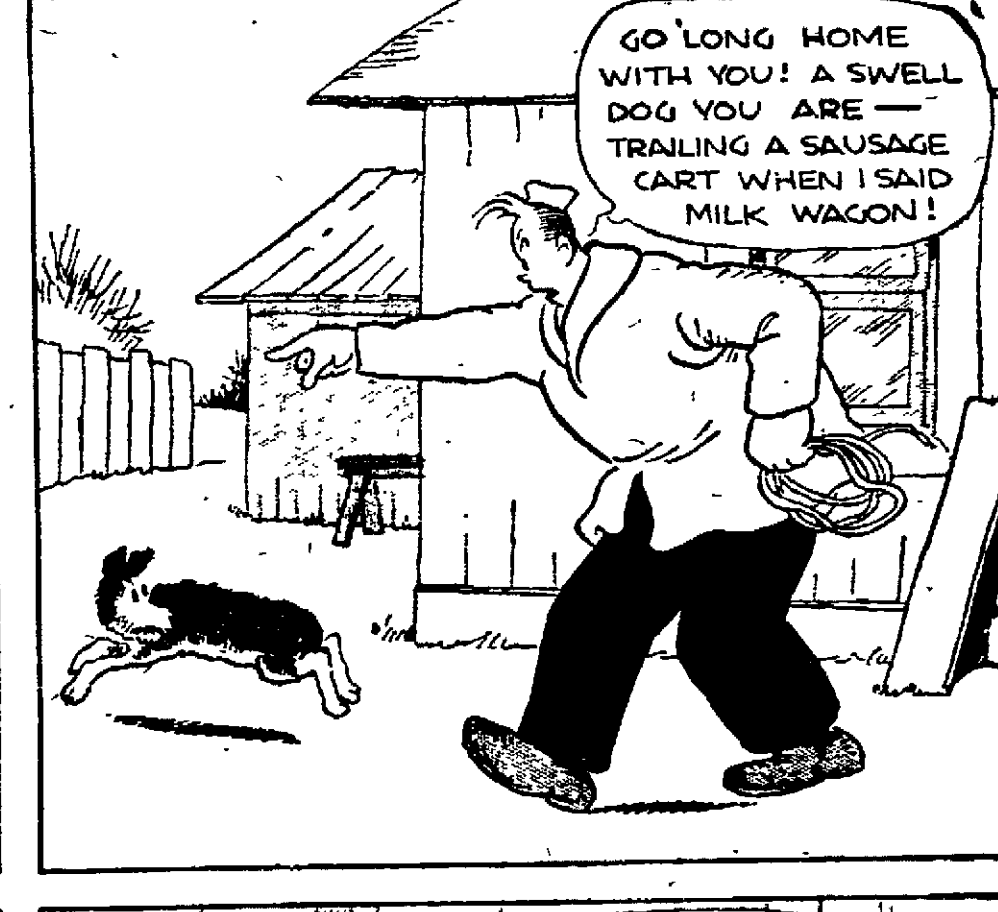
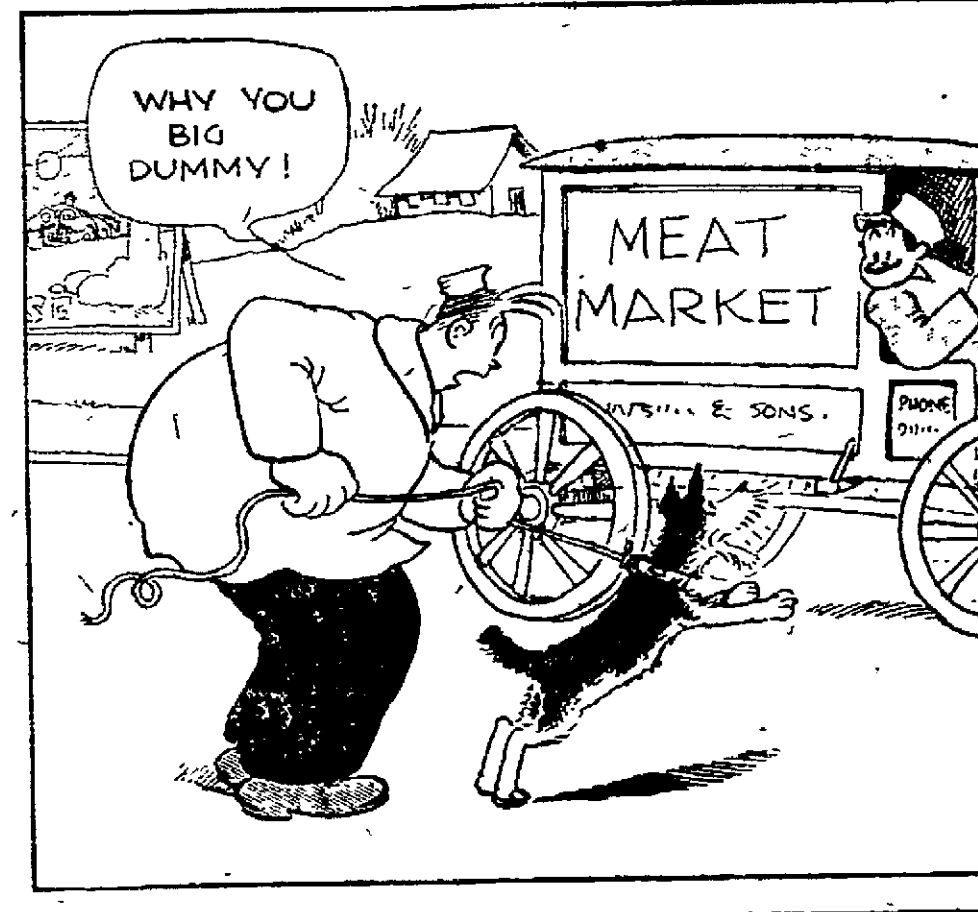
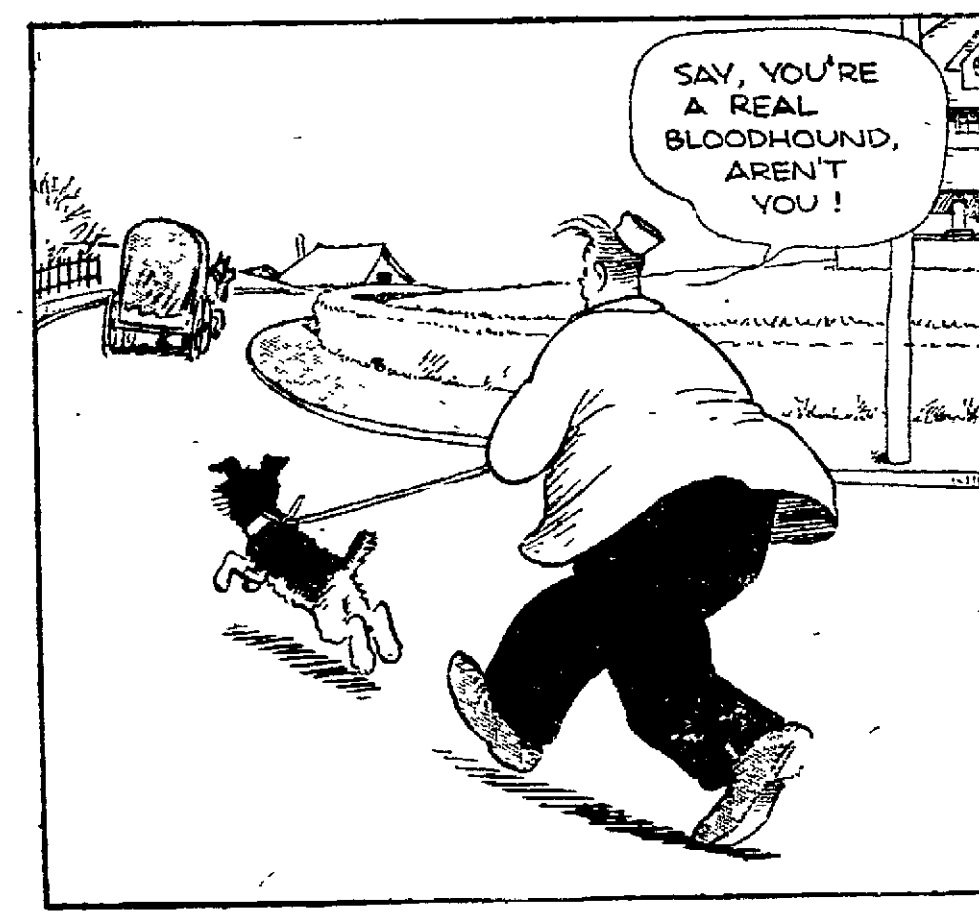
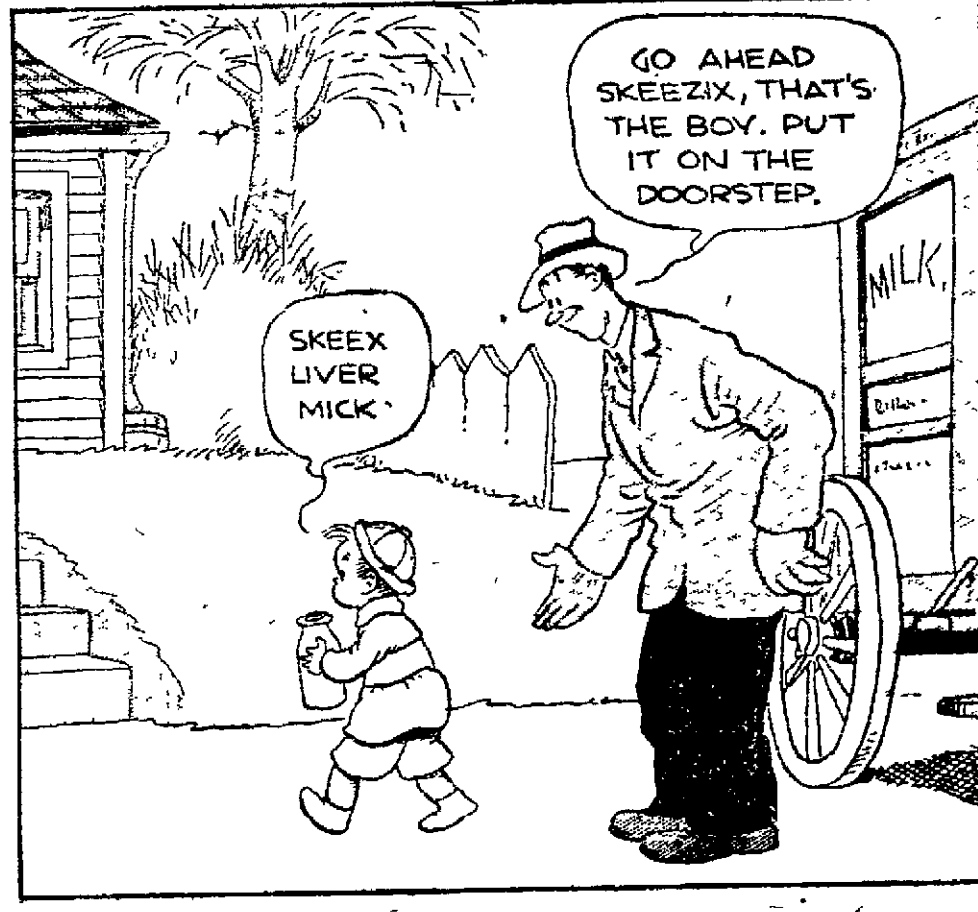
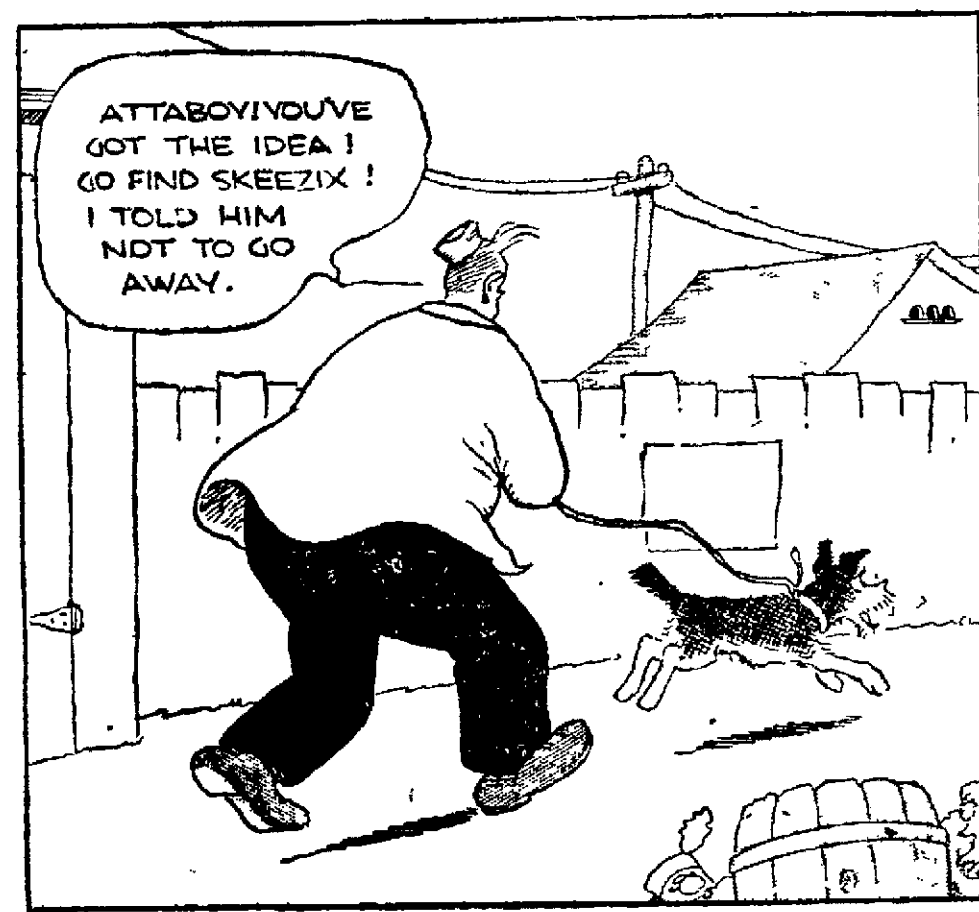
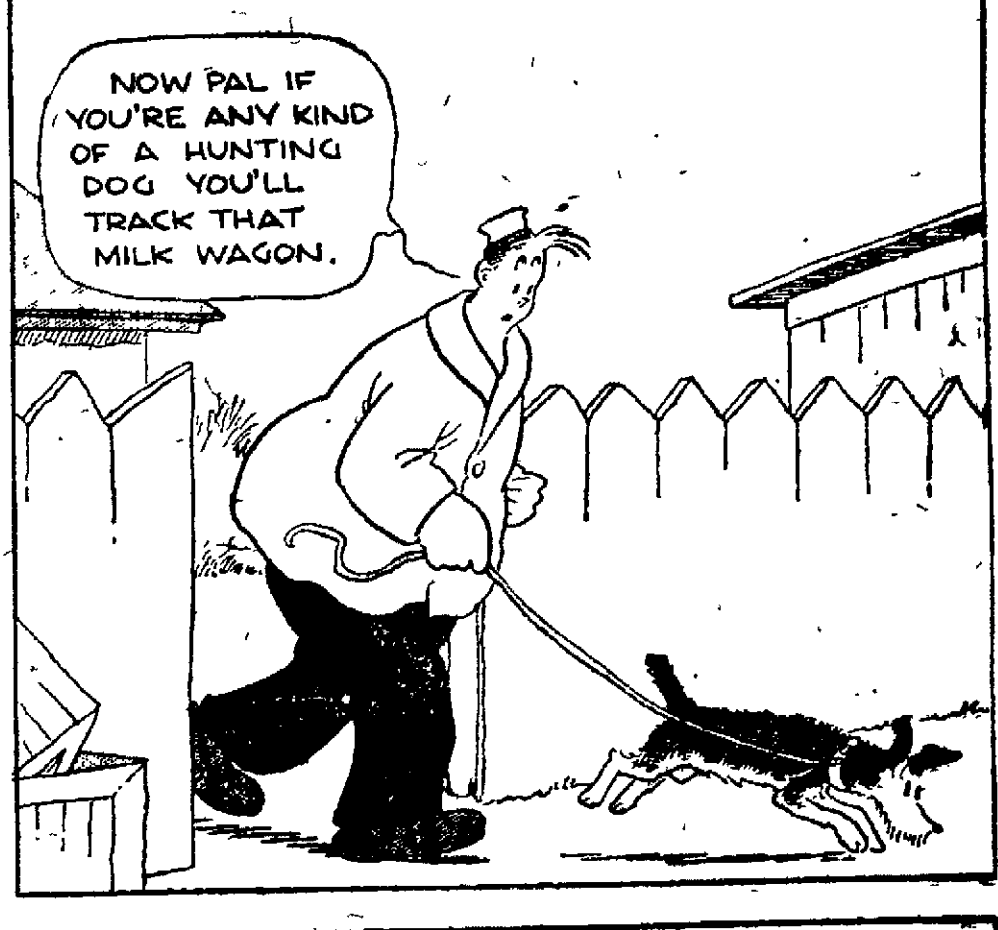
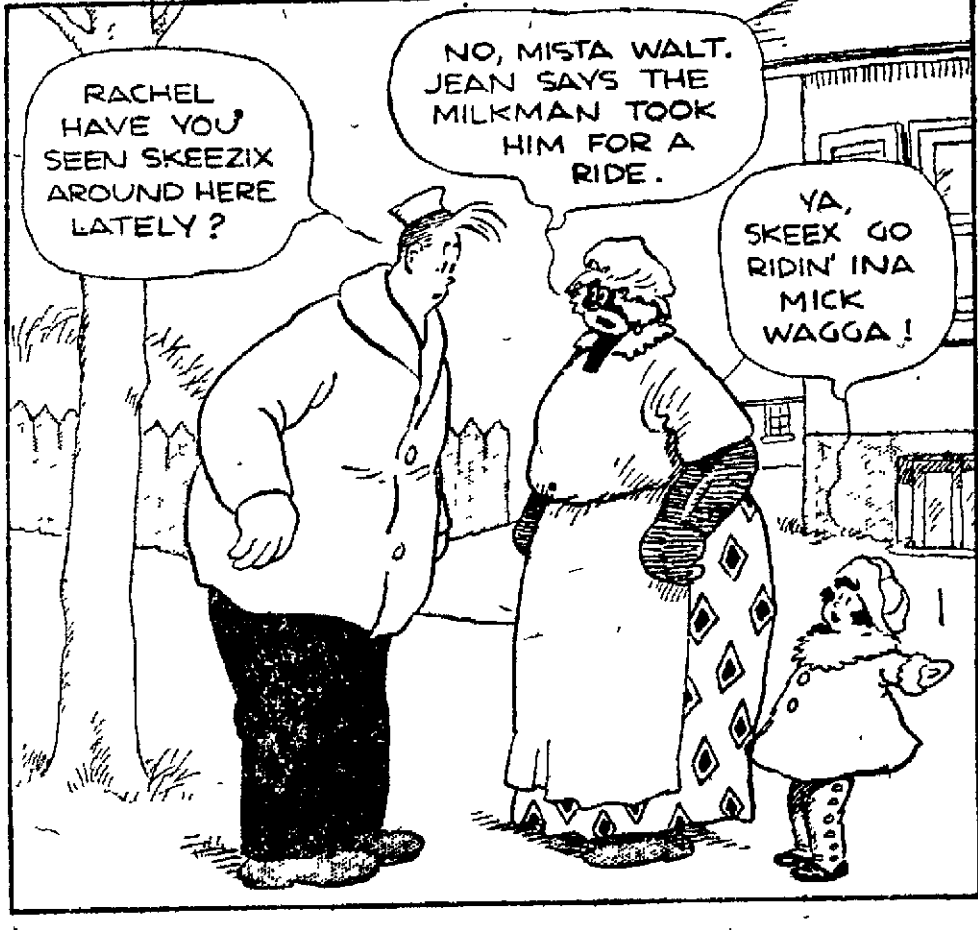
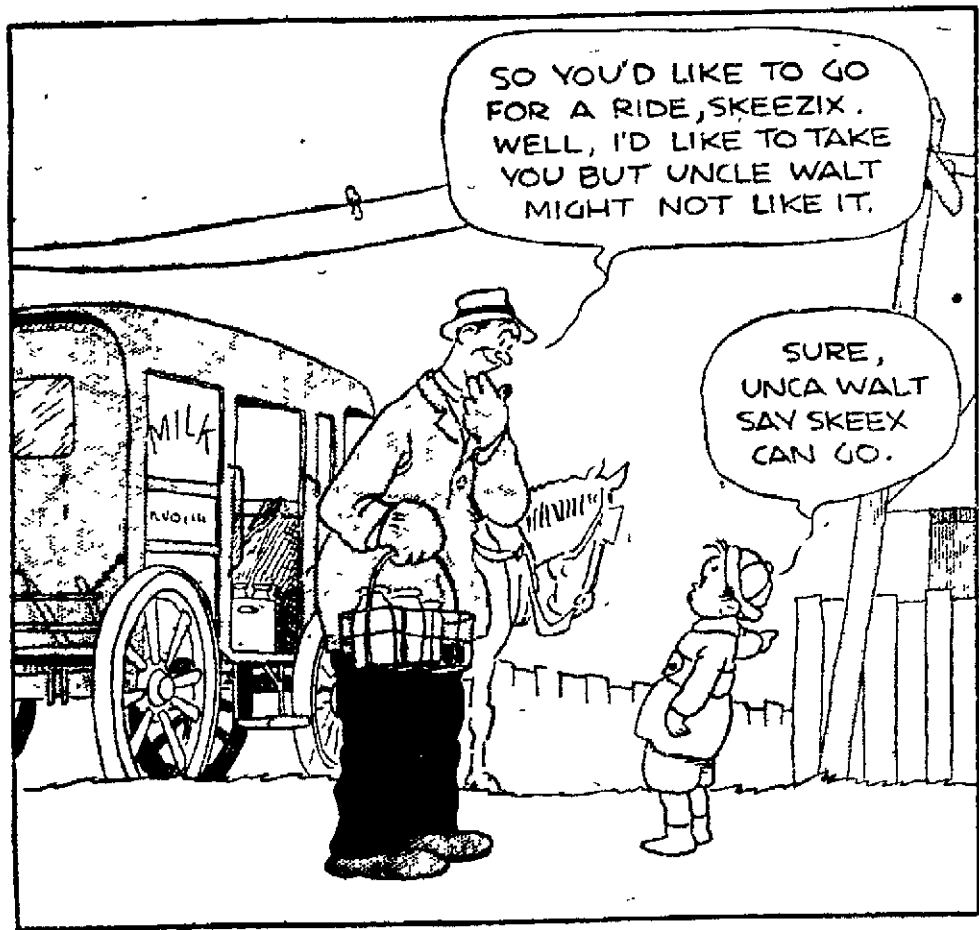
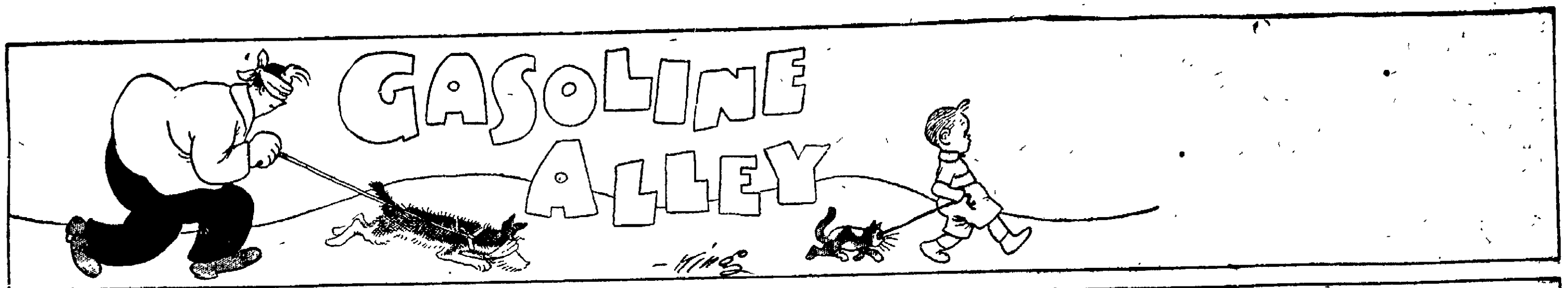
Mr. J. A. Evans, of the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture

These men are experts in the production of cotton and will give you valuable information of the possibilities of cotton production in this section.

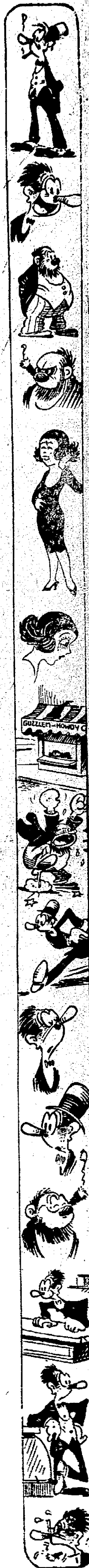
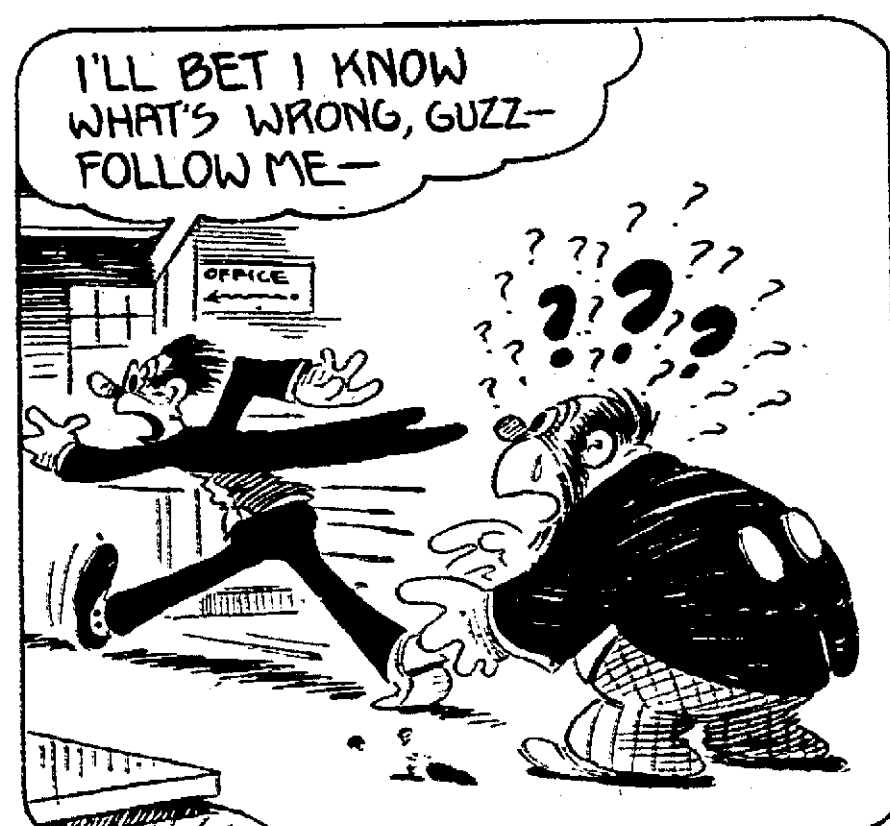
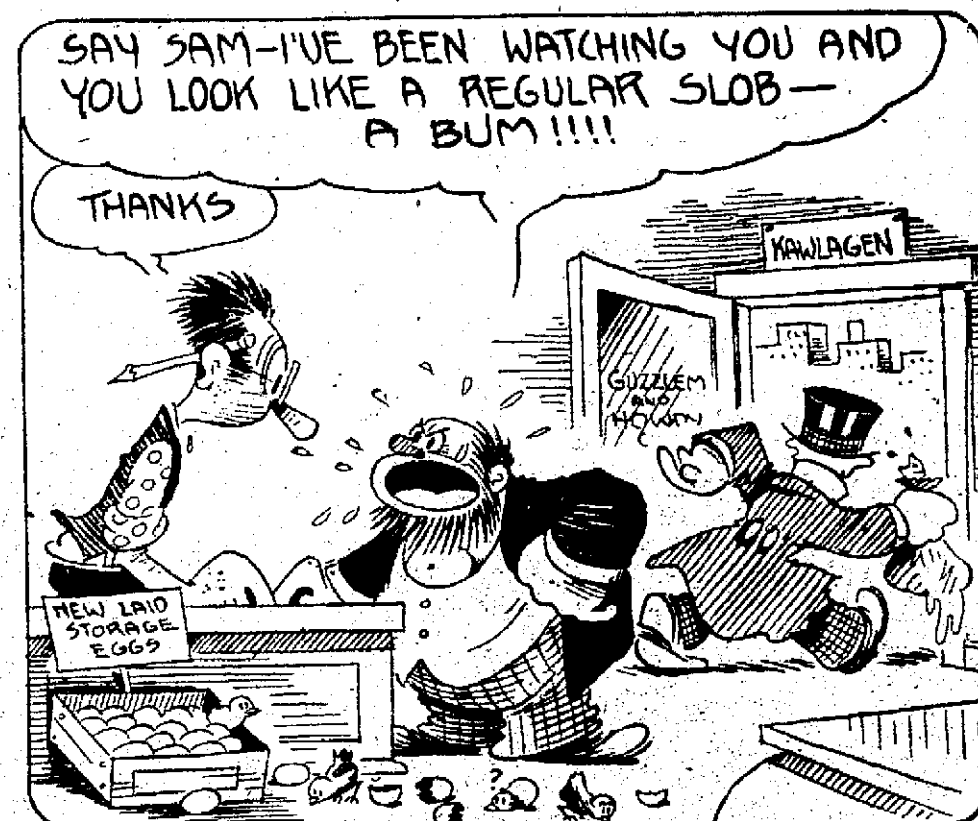
EVERBODY INVITED.

Danville Chamber of Commerce





A black and white cartoon illustration. On the left, a man with glasses and a mustache, wearing a patterned sweater and trousers, sits on a park bench. He looks up at a man running towards him. The man running is dressed in a formal tuxedo with a bow tie and is carrying a shoe in his right hand. He has a determined expression. In the background, there are simple outlines of buildings and trees. Two speech bubbles are present: one from the man on the bench saying "SHINE MISTER?" and another from the running man saying "SAY! - DOES IT LOOK LIKE I NEEDED ONE?".



THE BEE'S WEEKLY RADIO PAGE

RADIO BROADCASTING NEWS

Saturday, March 15, 1924

WEAF, NEW YORK—492.

6:00-6:30 p. m.—Carolinians Orchestra; Katherine Le Roux, soprano.
7:30-10:30 p. m.—Mary Van Dorn, soprano; Chieftain Quartet; and Trio; talk by Ralph Hayes; Harriet Youngs, soprano; Madeline Marshall, piano; George Dunstan, baritone; Mary Lackland, violin.

WOR, NEWARK—405.

8:30 p. m.—George Tridortor, baritone.
9:45 p. m.—Ernestine Brown, piano.
10:15-11:15 p. m.—Cinderella Orchestra.
11:15 p. m.—"Radio for the Layman," by F. J. Bendel.
8:00-9:00 p. m.—Ingram's Orchestra.
9:00 p. m.—Belle Bart, astrologist.
9:15 p. m.—Church of the Redeemer.
9:30 p. m.—Talk by Gutson Borgum.
9:45 p. m.—Church of the Redeemer Quartet.
10:00-11:00 p. m.—Vocal and instrumental solos.

WGY, SCHENECTADY—380.

8:30 p. m.—Rosen's Orchestra.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH—420.

8:15 p. m.—Band concert.
9:15 p. m.—Feature.
9:30 p. m.—Address.
9:45 p. m.—Feature.
10:15 p. m.—Band concert.
11:15 p. m.—Time signals; weather report.

WEAN, PROVIDENCE—273.

4:00-1:00 p. m.—Dance orchestra.
8:00 p. m.—Same program as WEAF.

WJAR, PROVIDENCE—360.

7:30-10:30 p. m.—Same program as WEAF.

UNSOLVED RADIO MYSTERIES

Radio presents more mysteries than any other science. Of these, H. Gernsback, noted science writer, points to four outstanding phenomena that are still unexplained:
1. Fading—the dying out of a concert for no apparent reason.
2. Dead Spots—areas in which certain transmitted signals cannot be heard.
3. Crystal Records—records of 400 to 1000 miles in reception made by crystal sets which ordinarily cannot receive more than 25 miles.
4. Radio Capacity—referring to the effect a person's body has on the reception of a radio set, when he is close to it.

MOST OUT OF ONE TUBE

By ISRAEL KIZIN

To get most out of a single tube, try the single tube reflex receiver. Here, with the use of a crystal detector and the vacuum tube amplifier, stations up to 50 miles can be brought in, and a loud speaker. Even farther distance can be obtained with the phones.

Use of a crystal for rectification in this connection has proved to be clearer than the vacuum tube, because of its freedom from oscillation and the elimination of the howling and squealing we get in regenerative receivers.

The parts for this set consist of:
1. audio-frequency transformers, ratio 4-1-2-1.
2. radio-frequency transformers, for reflexing.

1 tube socket.
1 rheostat.
2 variable condensers, 23 plate.
1 phone jack.
1 rubberized panel (about 3 inches by 10 inches).
1 wood base.
3 binding posts.
Bus wire.

Thus, without the tube, batteries and phone or loud speaker, the set should cost not more than \$20.

Transformers
The radio transformers may be either made or bought. If bought, care should be taken that they are for reflexing. A kind that can be attached to the variable condenser can now be bought. The first transformer, at the left, is made as follows:

Get two formica cylinder forms 1-16 inch thick, 3 inches long and 2 3/8 inches in diameter. Drill two small mounting holes on each form, one hole on top and one on bottom, by which the form, when completed, can be attached to the condenser.

Four more holes are drilled in each form, for the terminals, which may consist of a thin sheet of copper to back up the front panel. It eliminates body capacity and does away with much unnecessary wiring. If this is done, be sure to keep it from shorting the condenser shafts.

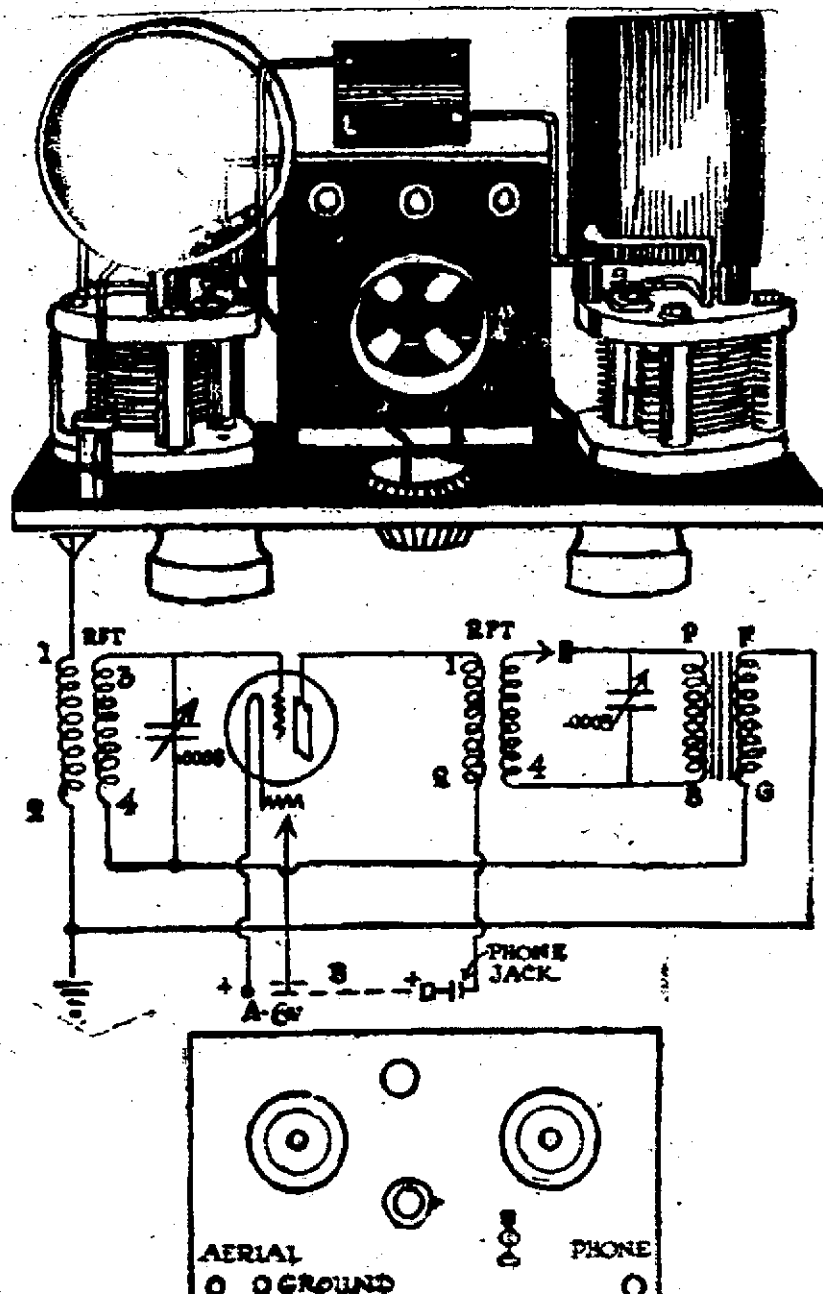
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The crystal detector may be any kind on the market, or one you can easily make yourself.

The tube best suited for this set, it has been found, is the UV201-A, with a silver storage A battery or 4 dry cells in series. A UV199 tube might work just as well, with a tap off the second cell of the 6-volt A battery.

The B Battery voltage may vary from 45 to 50 and even more.



TOP VIEW DIAGRAM, ABOVE, OF SINGLE TUBE REFLEX SET; FRONT VIEW, CENTER; PANEL ARRANGEMENT, BELOW.

terminal the other way. This makes each lead as short as possible.

The rheostat should have a resistance of 20 ohms.

For Good Reception

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To operate the set, first adjust the crystal detector by setting both dials at the same point and moving the detector control until a strong click is heard.

Slowly turn both dials, at about the same positions, until a station is heard. Then turn the grid variable condenser for stronger response and manipulate the crystal for better reception.

Keep a record of the dial markings and the stations heard, to make tuning in easier later on.

Clarity and selectivity depend on proper crystal adjustment.

AN EVENING AT HOME WITH THE LISTENER IN

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Gardner Defeats Smith; Delaney Halts Berlenbach

SENSATIONAL KNOCKOUT KING OF NEW YORK IS FLOORED IN 4TH ROUND

(By the Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Mar. 15.—Jack Delaney, fast and hard hitting Bridgeport, Conn., middleweight today occupies the pedestal of pugilistic prominence from which he toppled New York's latest ring idol, Paul Berlenbach, last night at Madison Square Garden.

Outclassing his rival in every department, Delaney knocked out Berlenbach in the fourth round of a spectacular bout that drew from the capacity crowd of more than 14,000 the wildest demonstration that the historic arena has witnessed this season. Delaney's victory abruptly checked the knockout streak of Berlenbach, who had flattened 23 consecutive opponents.

Berlenbach's defeat was strikingly

Pinkie Gardner Wins Over Zeke Smith in Fastest Wrestling Bout of Season; 300 People Present

There is no question but that every person who braved the off-season snow to witness the wrestling match at the Municipal Hall last night, got their money's worth. There was not a dull moment throughout the whole event, from the beginning of the preliminaries until Pinkie Gardner rocked Zeke Smith to sleep for the final count of a two best out of three victory. The preliminary high extra good, and an unusually high class of amateur wrestling. It took Taylor, the Y. M. C. A. whirlwind exactly fifteen minutes to pin young Holt's shoulders to the mat with his headlock and his wrist lock. This bout and rushed Holt from the very beginning, and two or three times Holt was rushed off the mat, Taylor falling on him on the floor. Holt, holding the loving cup for amateur wrestling in the state of Virginia, and will go to Lexington on March 28, where he will participate in the national contest. An amateur representative to go to the Olympics in 1924. If he gets by at Lexington, he will later go to New York and Europe for further participation in amateur wrestling. Young Holt has the reputation of being one of the best amateur wrestlers in his class to be found in the state. Young Taylor, a product of the local Y. M. C. A. wrestling team, and he sure does know his stuff, even if it is a little rough. Holt is about 18 years of age and Taylor registers somewhere around 19. They both acquitted themselves so creditably last night, that Mr. Moody would be justified in lining them up for the main bout in case the regular grapplers failed to show up. The Georgia who is a well-known mat artist himself, refereed the preliminary and the main bouts of the evening. He proved himself equally as good a referee as a wrestler, and when there was some contention with regard to his decision in the preliminary, he advised the spectators, that if any of them thought that he could do the job better than he could, he would exchange places with them. This brought a cheer from the people and there was no further disturbance along that line.

But the preliminary bout was lost sight of and forgotten when the two contestants made their appearance and both of them were heartily applauded by the spectators. Smith and Gardner are both very popular with the mat fans of Danville and the crowd was pretty evenly divided in rooting for them. The gentleman wrestler who hails from Shenandoah weighed in at 153 pounds and the Southern grappler from Richmond tipped the scales at 161 pounds. Gardner, who was still ranking over the defeat suffered at the hands of Joe Turner in the City City last Tuesday night, went to his corner fully determined to redeem himself before the Danville audience, while Smith still exultant and confident, on account of having won his last bout in the city, was equally determined to maintain his reputation by throwing Gardner.

Smith took the aggressive during the first bout and rushed the referee all possible. For the brief period of 1 minutes the spectators were privileged to witness some of the fastest and clearest wrestling exhibited on the local mat this season. Both Smith and Gardner were in the pink of condition and they went after each other's goat after a fashion that was calculated to put a few thrills into those present. After 15 minutes of fast and furious work, during which none neither of them had very much advantage over the other, Smith threw Gardner with an arm scissors hold.

The second round began with Smith on the aggressive, and for several minutes the wrestling was on equal grounds, neither one having any advantage to speak of. But as the bout progressed, the lion experience of the Union College grappler began to tell, and he had a shade the advantage over the Richmond boy. After Smith put over a game fight, and it became necessary for Gardner to pull himself out of several tight places. It took him 26 minutes to put Smith's shoulders to the mat, throwing him with a hip-lock and arm-hold-down hold. Smith was thrown down with such force that the breath was temporarily knocked out of him, and he was groggy for several minutes after getting on his feet, and Gardner had such a terrific hold on Smith that it required the assistance of the referee to turn him loose.

Although both wrestlers were tired and weary when they entered their corner for the third round, they continued to work fast and snappy and there were both game to the very end. Smith, it seemed not fully recovered from the terrific fall in the second round, and it was evident that Gardner would emerge from the fray the winner of the bout. In 12 minutes Gardner had rocked Smith to sleep for the last time with another hip-lock and arm-hold-down hold. Smith had put forth the best that was in him to win the match, and when he went down in defeat, he did so with a smile on his face, and his work was so clever and so clean that he lost none of his prestige on account of being defeated at the hands of a wrestler like Gardner. After he had regained his lost breath, he made a short statement to the audience, in which he said that he had won the decision, that Gardner had won it fairly and squarely, also that he was delighted to know that he was able to put up as good a fight against Gardner as he had. As he left against

his dressing room, he was cheered as heartily as if he had won the match. In referring to the bout, Gardner said: "That it was no easy matter to win over Zeke Smith, also that Smith was a good clean wrestler, worthy of the patronage of the good people of Old Virginia." Gardner is on his way North to fill some engagements that have been booked there, and will not be able to appear in Danville for a return engagement at this season. At the beginning of the bout, Pete Sturges challenged the winner of the contest for an engagement, and since it is not possible for Gardner to meet him, he will very probably be pitted against Zeke Smith, some time in the near future.

Pinkie Gardner, while a son of north of the Mason and Dixon line, is a gentleman wrestler, and one of the cleanest mat artists of the present day. Zeke Smith grew up in the sunshine of Old Virginia, and is a descendant of the aristocracy and chivalry against the south has always been noted. In addition to being super-men so far as physical training is concerned, they are both intellectual and cultured men. Each has been a frequent visitor at the director of athletics in a northern college. For many years Smith has been engineering athletic events in and around Richmond, also participating in many other athletic events. They are both in the very prime of life, Smith being 27 years of age and Gardner 29. It is very fitting that a son of one who wore the blue should be a champion wrestler, and the son of one who wore the gray, in the historical old city of Danville, as it evidences the fact that the animosity which sprang up between the North and the South during those four long years of hardship and strife has been forgotten, and that there is no longer a dividing line between the two sections.

Mr. Moody is to be highly commended for bringing such high class sporting blood to the Danville people, and those who are interested in good clean sport, such as this, should meet him their support by their patronage and by boosting the good work along. The time has come when no sane, intelligent person can find any fault in clean athletics, and it is duty as well as a privilege to encourage and help to promote them, if for no other reason, for the benefits to be derived therefrom by the younger generation.

Every man or woman who has dropt of red sporting blood coursing through their veins, should appreciate the splendid All-American card that Mr. Moody brought to this city for their special enjoyment.

The Shikhus Kilonis match which had been staged for next Friday evening, has been indefinitely postponed on account of Kilonis not being able to reach Danville in time for the bout. Promoter Moody will in all probability book some other wrestlers to fill in for this occasion.

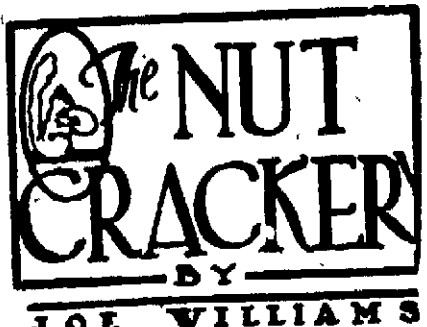
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What's a Chinese Wall To Barney?



A Mexican rebel soldier is training with the Yankees in New Orleans. You should not be surprised to hear he is the fastest runner on the squad.

It took Elrpo 14 rounds to knock Spalla kicking. The customers, however, were kicking long before that.

Well, anyway poor old Pat Moran lived long enough to see Roush satisfied, and we don't suppose he ever expected to do that.

Mr. Zbyzsko threatens to expose all the secrets of the wrestling trust. One of which will be the proper way to pronounce his name.

No matter how sick Ruth the Babe gets, he can always be counted on to take a healthy cut at the ball.

All that is needed to divert the country's attention from the Teatome mess is the discovery of a good left-handed pitcher with as much stuff as Waddell had.

The Mardi Gras season is over in New Orleans but a lot of rookies are still going about masquerading as ball players.

Bootleggers are said to be infesting the Cardinals' camp in Florida. By way of making the boys feel at home, we guess.

A new safety helmet has been devised to protect jockeys from injuries. Now will someone invent something to protect the poor fish from the bookies?

Most of the managers are standing pat this spring. If he's the same bird we used to bat around with we don't envy them their job.

Another modern crime is the passing of Rur' with the bases filled and a fast pitcher working—if you were to submit the proposition to Mr. Ruth (himself).

SPORTS GOSSIP

The majority of horsemen believe that Zev was a lucky horse last season and in this contention they are possibly right. His first piece of luck was that there were few good three-year-olds out last year. Then his getting to run for \$80,000 against the poorly acclimated and badly equipped Papyrus was another piece of luck. Against a horse of the caliber of Roamer, when the latter was at the top of his form, Zev would have had no chance whatever.

No standout two-year-olds have as yet shown up at New Orleans. This time last year Black Gold, Worthmore and Edna V had demonstrated their class, which they continued to show after they "got up the line."

Life was just one base hit after another during 1923 for Paul Strand, doped to star for Connie Mack this year. With Salt Lake of the Pacific Coast League he made 235 base hits in 194 games almost as many as some players make during their entire career.

THIS BOXMAN DON'T BELIEVE IN SIGNS

Comes now Pietro Corri, an Alpine mountaineer of Italian-Belgian stock, who yearns for a chance to win the world's heavyweight championship.

On Pietro Corri's manly chest is depicted in lurid colors a prize fighter showing a fighter being counted out. "That's a sketch of my last knockout," explains Pietro—falling to, specify whether he or his opponent is being counted out.

good drive at about twenty yards against the wind and less, of course, down the wind. This, of course, as applied to the expert player. The ordinary golfer would probably turn in a far greater discrepancy of distance as between the present ball and the proposed new one.

Third a series of experimental tests of the present manufactured golf ball to take place under U. S. G. A. executive committee auspices at Pinehurst, March 27-28, and at Pine Valley April 11-14. Samples of all leading makes will be tried out and at the same time human agents will be supplemented by a driving machine.

Fourth, study of the Oakmont course, in play 13 years in which the only one green, the second, has been moved into such a yard. Test even the heaviest clubbers have had no complaint that the course is too short.

GIBBONS MUST PROVE LOGICAL CONTENDER FOR RETURN BOUT SAYS JACK

(By the Associated Press.)

BUTTE, Mont., Mar. 15.—Tommy Gibbons must conquer all other contenders or square up his one bad account with Middleweight Champion Harry Greb, in New York, before Tex Rickard or any other promoter can afford to give him a return with Gibbons next June.

"Gibbons is a fine fellow; deserves to make up what he lost at Shelby

and all that, but you can't expect New York fans to want, or New York promoters to offer him a match as long as he refuses to fight in New York," said the champion. "Less than a week ago Tex Rickard told me it would be another Shelby financial bubble to give Gibbons a match until the fans are confident back there in the East that Tommy is the logical contender among the big boys."

HIGH POINT WOMAN IS FOUND IN POOL BLOOD

HIGH POINT, N. C., March 14.—Guarded by her five year old daughter, who sought to prevent any one entering the room, Mrs. L. C. Jenkins, wife of the chief of police of Thomasville, was found dead in her room at Thomasville today. The body lay in a pool of blood.

Efforts are being made to locate Chief Jenkins who left Thomasville according to police at 1 o'clock yesterday morning in the police department automobile after telling the night desk man at headquarters that he was on the trail of bootleggers. He has not been heard from since.

Exhibition Games

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 14.—Washington (A) 9 12 2
Brooklyn (N) 4 2 6
McGraw, Roe, Joyce, and Tate, Hargrave, Long, Harison, Henry and Taylor, Hargraves.

BRADENTOWN, Fla., March 14.—St. Louis (N) 5 9 1
Milwaukee (AA) 3 7 3
Delaney, H. Bell, Barnes, Reinhardt and Holm, Howe, McCurdy, Winn, Shaney, Pott and Shinnault, Young.

Boy Scouts Guests of Promoter Moody

Members of Boy Scout Troop No. 4 today expressed keen appreciation of the kindness of L. C. Moody local sport's promoter who last night made it possible for eighteen members of the organization to view the wrestling match between Zeke Smith and Pinkie Gardner in the Municipal Hall. Mr. Moody was approached in the matter by the scoutmaster and the promoter readily consented to have

the boys as his guests. As a question of admission was involved, Mr. Moody spoke to the two grapplers, and they readily joined in the plan and extended the invitation. The boys enjoyed the event, one of the best staged this season, and expressed their thanks to the promoter and to the wrestlers.

THIEF DIES IN FIRE

DANZIG, March 15.—A thief broke into the cellar of a chemist at Nakel and was burned to death in a fire which broke out while he was there.

The Sportsman
By
Walter Camp

(Copyright, 1924, by The Bee)
NEW YORK, Mar. 15.—The usual question mark seems to have been attached to Allen Woodring again this spring. Just when the sharps contend that the tall, scantly-haired blonde runner is through, Tom Keane pats him on

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Those bodies are finished by many operations, including 15 coats of paint and varnish.

The open bodies are upholstered

All Studebaker models are equipped with Timken bearings. There are few cars in America, regardless of price, which equal ours on this point. In our Light-Six, for instance, we put more Timken bearings than are used in any competitive car, within \$1,500 of its price.

We give unusual equipment. On some Big-Six models, for instance, we include two nickel-plated bumpers, one or two extra disc wheels with cord tires, a courtesy light, a motorometer, steel trunk, etc.

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We give you these extra values through quantity production. We build 150,000 cars per year—more than any other fine-car builder. Our large expenses are divided by that enormous output.

We do it by building our own bodies, our own parts. Thus we save outside profits.

We do it because we have up-to-date plants, with all forms of modern equipment.

The results are these: Beauty, quality and luxury such as no maker can surpass.

Prices far below the usual. Our Light-Six, built by ordinary methods, would sell for from \$200 to \$400 more. Our Big-Six can be compared only with the highest-priced cars in the world.

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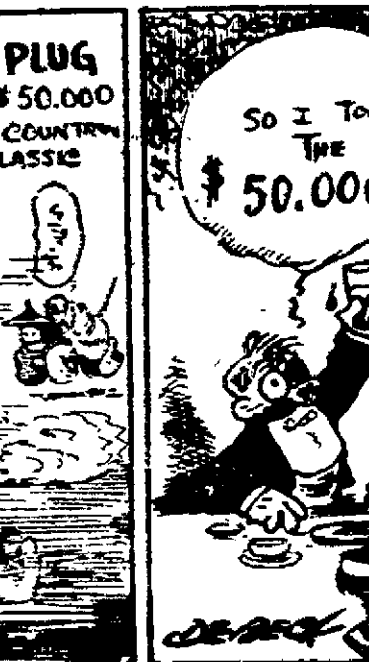
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BROTHER OF LATE CARDINAL

GIBBONS, BROS. OF OLD AGE. Associated Press. NEW ORLEANS, March 14.—John T. Gibbons, 86, brother of the late James Cardinal Gibbons, died at his home here early today, a victim of old age. His physicians said Mr. Gibbons, a native of Baltimore, came to New Orleans in 1854 when 16 years of age and established himself in business in 1862, operated continuously until his retirement about ten years ago when he turned the concern over to his sons. 151b

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Active Steps to Free Thaw Taken Today

(By The Associated Press.)
PHILADELPHIA, Mar. 15.—Counsel for Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White, today was preparing for his trial before a jury in an effort to establish his sanity and thereby gain his freedom from the Pennsylvania hospital for Mental and Nervous Diseases, to which institution he was committed in 1917 after being adjudged insane by a local court.

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Judge J. Willis Martin yesterday granted Thaw's petition for such a trial and unless unexpected objections are raised to bring about delay the trial will start April 16.
Former Judge John G. Patterson, counsel for Thaw, said that his mother, Mrs. Mary C. Thaw, who is "committee of his person" has agreed to the filing of the petition and had made it clear she would not object to his release. Patterson also said he did not anticipate any objection from the custodians of Thaw's estate or from the district attorney of New York, "the only other parties at interest."
Should Thaw be declared sane, he would automatically resume charge of his estate, reported to be worth nearly \$2,000,000. His attorney said he would then face whatever issue that may be raised against him in New York, including the charge of assault on Frederick Gump, Jr., formerly of Kansas City.

DANCE TO RICHES

PARIS, March 15.—Dancing professors in France are getting wealthy. The average fee they charge is \$5 a lesson, with a reduction for a series. These "professors" are recruited from various classes. Some are former clerks, some are foreign princes in disguise. Others have been waiters and colonels in the Russian army.

Capital is the money the other fellow has, thinks the tired barber.

Altavista

(Special to The Bee)
ALTAVISTA, Va., Mar. 15, Thursday evening several prominent business men of this place met for the purpose of investigating the present school affairs and to provide a better means of operating the present schools.
Rev. T. C. Page, chairman of the committee appointed by the Teachers and Parents Association, acted as chairman of this meeting.
L. A. Arthur, representing the school board, stated that the board would bear one half of the expenses of the erection of an additional building.

As there has been so much divided expression as to whether a school should be maintained in the eastern section of town or not, the question of the Broad Street crossing had been brought up before, with the hopes that a means of greater safety could be developed.

Mr. Page had an interview with Mr. DeRamus, the superintendent of the Southern R. R., in the earlier part of the week regarding the crossing and the Southern stated that the board would cross at Bedford Ave. which is almost as bad. However, all were of the opinion that some method should be developed but as several that were needed were absent, no definite decision was reached.

It was hard to decide whether it would be the best policy to close the school in the eastern part of town and enlarging the present one, which would mean the erection of a new building in addition to the present one, or to maintain the two.

After much discussion it was decided that to maintain the school in the eastern part of town for the next year and make an effort to raise money for the erection of the other building.

Those present were: Messrs. L. A. Arthur, Geo. C. Stone, W. O. Smith, J. L. East, H. E. Price, W. S. Frazier and T. C. Page.

Dr. Carleton Moorman is confined to his room on account of sickness.

Owing to the fact that the boiler in the school house burst there was no school from Monday at noon until Thursday.

Business was very much impeded here on Tuesday on account of the snow storm. The trains were very late here, and mail never reached here until Wednesday.

Mr. W. G. Burnette, of Lynchburg was in town Wednesday night.

A private dance was given at the home of Miss Margaret Rakston, on Broad Street, Wednesday evening.

E. T. Wood visited his daughter, Mrs. C. T. Burnette, Wednesday.

Horace, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Moser, has been sick since last Thursday, but he is reported to be improving.

Chief of Police Dews report crushing business, making a total of 14 arrests from Saturday at 2:00 until Sunday at 5:00. Fines ranged from \$1.00 to \$71.50, all of which were on liquor charges.

WOULD COLOR ROADS

SACRAMENTO, Calif., March 15.—California is considering trying out the new idea of laying tinted pavements to ease eyestrain of motorists and to harmonize with the landscape. It is said that a red roadway through green fields is very satisfying, while a purple highway against a yellow cornfield is even more artistic.

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POCKETBOOK

Pig Iron production continued rising in February, it's announced. The output was nearly twice as big as February, 1922. This means that the steel industry expects lots of customers and heavy orders—which, in turn, means jobs.

Railroad freight traffic continues big for this time of year.

The banking situation is strong. Retail trade is a bit quiet in some lines, but indications are for a brisk spring pick-up. People have plenty of money and credit to keep things going in good shape.

The manufacture of 349,141 motor vehicles in February, a gain of more than a fourth over the previous February record, in 1923.

T. B. Tuberculosis costs the United States 500 million dollars a year, according to the Anti-Tuberculosis League. It arrives at this figure by estimating that each year of the average person's life is worth \$100 in the form of national wealth. Thus a person who dies a few years prematurely, means a loss of \$500 to national wealth.

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FUTURE The Gray children give \$10 to the city council of New Haven, Conn.

Charges Salaries Kept From Men to Buy Anderson Gift

(By The Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Mar. 15.—Having been dismissed as superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League's Metropolitan district, Dr. Samuel L. Hamilton charges that salaries were kept from employees of the league. In some cases for three months, because the funds subscribed for prohibition work were converted into a gift to W. H. Anderson, not to exceed \$7,500. Anderson was convicted of forgery and resigned as state superintendent of the league.

The cause given officially for Dr. Hamilton's discharge was hostility to the policies of the league. Simultaneously the league issued yesterday a statement criticizing District Attorney Benton.

Mr. Hamilton said he was not hostile to the policies of the league but to the little group whom he considered jointly responsible with Anderson for the league's difficulties.

"The little group," Dr. Hamilton asserted, allowed Anderson to "continue to have desk room and office space in our headquarters after his conviction of a crime and six weeks after he was asked to resign."

Movie Studio Watchman Slain

(By The Associated Press.)
LOS ANGELES, Mar. 15.—R. J. Jenson, watchman at the Hollywood Studio of Warner Brothers, motion picture studio was found fatally wounded near the studio gates early today. Frank Ferguson, motoring past, saw Jenson stumble over a gap in the fence and fall unconscious. He died while Ferguson was hurrying him to a hospital.

Detectives found at the studio an automobile registered as belonging to World Warner, its engine still warm, but no one was about. Efforts to learn who had been driving the car were unavailing several hours after the killing.

The stud always dark and apparently none of the stages was being used.

LITTLE BUT LOUD

BUDAPEST, March 15.—Not much larger than a watch, a phonograph which can be slipped into the pocket and has space for 10 records, has been invented by a Hungarian. The sound produced by the machine is so amplified by placing it on a turntable that the tiny instrument can be used for dancing.

Natives of Savo, one of the Solomon Islands, regard the shark as a god and cast their dead into the sea as an offering to their finny deity.

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17 VOLCANOES ACTIVE (By Chicago Tribune Service.)

TOKYO, March 14.—Reports from Vladivostok state that seventeen volcanoes at Kamchatka are intensely active, with frequent earthquakes Monday snow and a gale of extreme violence destroyed houses and com-

munications. Scientists visiting at Amur, where geyser phenomena are unusual, agree that another heavy shock in the Tokyo region is due.

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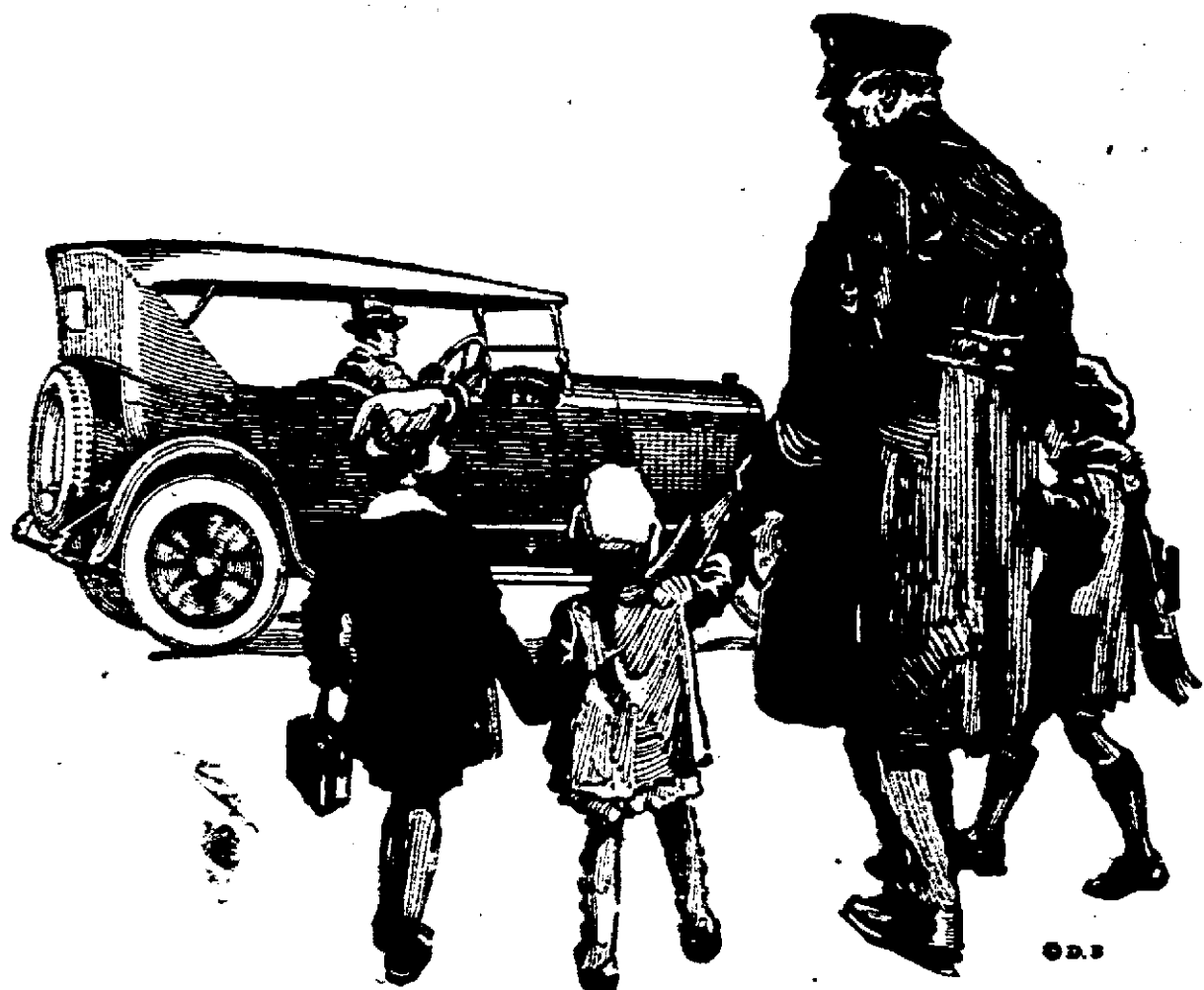
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